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RUSSIANS TO LAND ON BULGARIAN COAST WITHIN FORTNIGHT, SAYS ROUMANIAN NOTE

Russia Claims Hindenburg's Drive was Again Checked, with Loss of Large Number of Men, While Vienna Admits that Austrians are Retreating in Galicia Before Russian Steady Advance.

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 23.—Roumanian newspapers report that the Russians expect to land on the Bulgarian coast within a fortnight. Latest Petrograd official reports indicate that Hindenburg's drive on Riga has again been checked. The Russians claim that they captured large numbers of Hindenburg's men. Vienna admits that the Austrians are retreating in Galicia. Last night the Germans, after a bombardment with shells which irritated the eyes and caused asphyxiation, attempted to attack the French near Givency, Paris says, but were repulsed.

Germans Crossed the Drina.

Berlin, Oct. 23.—German troops have crossed the Drina river in Northwestern Serbia near Visegrad, driving the Serbians from the heights there.

Closed Swiss Communication.

Geneva, Switzerland, Oct. 23.—Germany has closed communication from Basel to Constance, Switzerland. It is presumed that the purpose is to conceal the movements of troops.

Cutting Down Meat.

London, Oct. 23.—An Amsterdam despatch says the German federal council forbids on two days weekly the sale of dishes consisting of meat.

Control of Food.

Berlin, Oct. 23.—The federal government has decided to assume the control of the supply and price of food throughout Germany. Heretofore the provincial authorities have acted, resulting in inequalities in prices.

Italian Squadron Participating.

Brindisi, Italy, Oct. 23.—The Italian squadron is participating in the Entente blockade and bombardment of the Bulgarian coast.

Permits Free Passage.

Paris, Oct. 23.—A Havas despatch from Athens says that in refusing to join in the war with the allies the Greek note of yesterday said:

"Greece offers all the service she can render in allowing free passage over her territory of the allies' troops going to the Serbian front and in maintaining her own army on a war footing."

The Greek note said that the the Balkan expedition needs an army of 400,000, and that the allies have not furnished an army of that size.

Officer Finished Job.

Amsterdam, Oct. 23.—The Telegraaf here today published a report that the Germans several weeks ago at Liege executed a French woman, Madame Louise Frenay. The report says the aim of the firing squad was bad and, as in the case of Miss Edith Cavell, the commanding officer was obliged to complete the execution by shooting the woman through the heart with a pistol.

Threw Acid at Prince.

Rome, Oct. 23.—Prince Leopold of Coburg, says a Vienna despatch, was burned with acid and shot by a woman friend, the daughter of a Vienna police captain. She then killed herself. The prince is likely to lose his sight.

Stopped Teuton Attacks.

Athens, Oct. 23.—The Serbian minister here says that the Austro-German attacks against Serbia have been temporarily stopped and that the Serbians have assumed the offensive and forced back the invaders at some points. The reported Bulgarian occupation of Vranya is denied. The Bulgarians made a cavalry raid near there.

WANT IMMUNITY FOR RAIDS INTO MEXICO

FAILIN PROTECTION FOR LIVES AND PROPERTY, McALLEN MEN WOULD CROSS THE BORDER.

By Associated Press.

Brownsville, Texas, Oct. 23.—Ranchmen near McAllen today requested Governor Ferguson to get protection for their lives and property. If this cannot be had, they ask immunity from prosecution in order at their own risk they may cross into Mexico to secure cattle stolen from them in large numbers during the past week.

Does Not Credit Rumor.

Washington, Oct. 23.—The state department does not credit the truth of the rumor last night in El Paso tht Felix Diaz had joined the Zapata forces and that 40,000 Zapatistas are menacing Mexico City. Diaz was supposed to be in New York three days ago.

Leaving for the Border.

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 23.—The Twenty-Eighth Infantry is leaving here this afternoon for Harlingen and the border.

Closed Blind Tigers.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 23.—Comptroller Terrell announced today that he has closed nine blind tigers at Harlingen, Texas, important headquarters for troops guarding the border.

METHODISTS SELECT UVALDE.

By Associated Press.

San Angelo, Texas, Oct. 23.—The West Texas conference of fMethodists today selected Uvalde for the next annual meeting.

ILLINOIS CONFERENCE ON CHARITIES.

Danville, Ill., Oct. 23—A celebration of twenty years of progress in public and private charity is the featore of the twentieth annual Illinois Conference on Charities and Corrections, which opened here today. Many social and uplift workers of the state are attending, and the conference will continue each day until Tuesday.

NOTED SURGEONS AT CLINICAL CONGRESS.

Boston, Oct. 23—Fifteen hundred surgeons from all over the United States are gathering here for the sixth annual convention of the Clinical Congress of Surgeons of North America, which will open Monday with demonstrations at all of the big hospitals in the city.

The officials of the Congress are headed by Dr. John B. Murphy of Chicago, President and Dr. Charles H. Mayo of Rochester, Minn., president-elect. On Monday evening, Dr. Mayo will deliver the annual address and will be inducted into office.

The Congress was formed in Chicago, and has also held clinics in New York, Philadelphia, and last year in London. This year the invitations are limited to the number of seats at the clinics mornigs will be devoted to the clinics by local surgeons at hospitals and medical schools. The visitors will have the programme each evening, delivering papers on many phases of surgery and the newer methods and results.

WOMEN GAMBLERS TO GIVE UP IN CHICAGO

CHIEF OF POLICE RAIDED CLUB ROOMS WHERE WOMEN WERE FOUND PLAYING FOR PRIZES.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Oct. 23.—Chief of Police Healey today announced that he will try to stop gambling among women here. He raided clubs where admission fees are charged and prizes given women winning at the card tables. One woman said she made $500 by selling her prizes.

PROOBING COTTON BEAR TRUST.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 23.—The federal trade commission has ordered an investigation of charges that a combination of cotton buyers exists in North Carolina and Georgia to depress the price of cotton.

They will also investigate the alleged cotton combination in South Carolina in which it is charged that buyers divide the territory.

FARMERS GUESTS OF FOX HOUNDS CLUB.

Peapack, N. J., Oct. 23—The Essex Fox Hounds Club is holding Farmer's Day today, and the leading farmers of this section of New Jersey are guests at a race meet which was arranged for their interest. The fox hunters are showing their appreciation of the farmers' liberality in allowing the hunt runs over their property. Six race events are on the card, with entries from the best private stables in northern New Jersey.

BANK OFFICERS GO TOTRIAL.

Macon, Ga., Oct. 23—Matthew M. Lowry and Emmett C. Hawkins officials of the defunct Americus National Bank, will go to trial on Monday in the United States District Court here before Judge W. W. Lambdin. The two officers of the bank were indicted in connection with the failure of the bank at Americus, and their prominence gives the trial unusual interest. The officials of the defunct Commercial National Bank of Macon will not be tried at this term, because of the large docket.

PROBE CALIFORNIA TELEPHONE RATES.

San Francisco, Oct. 23.—On Monday the Railroad Commission will begin an investigation of the telephone situation throughout the state. The complaint of the City of San Francisco concerning telephone rates is the basis of the inquiry, the Pacific Telephone has also asked for an examination of rates and regulations, and for the marking of such changes in these as "shall be necessary to return to the company a fair interest on its investment."

The city alleges that the rates are now and for a long time past have been excessive. The company has made complete inventories and appraisals of most of its exchanges and expects to present to the commission complete information. The city will present an outline of local telephone charges in comparison with charges paid by subscribers to telephone service in cities where there is competition.

STATEMENT OF THE

LAREDO NATIONAL BANK

LAREDO, TEXAS.

At the Close of Business, Sept. 2, 1915, as rendered to the Comptroller of the Currency CONDENSED.

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans	$ 687,911.92	Capital Stock paid in	$100,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	2,500.00	Capital Stock, earned	100,000.00
Real Estate	12,000.00		200,000.00
United States Bonds	125,000.00	Surplus Fund	50,000.00
Other Bonds and Securities	2,837.80	Undivided Profits, net	63,972.26
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	6,000.00	Circulation	100,000.00
Cash and Exchange	529,290.55	Deposits	951,568.01
Total	$1,365,540.27	Total	$1,365,540.27

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Tomorrow: the distinguished actor, Hobert Henely, in "THE DEFICIT," three-reel story of a man's regeneration; Universal Weekly and a good comedy.

From Saturday's Daily.

CHARGES TREACHERY.

The Russian czar has issued a manifesto stating that Bulgaria was guilty of treachery in siding with the Teutons, which the Teutonic sympathizers attempt to disprove on the ground that Bulgaria, like all other nations, was merely actuated by the self-interest which actuates individuals as well as nations..

But there can be no doubt that Bulgaria is guilty of treason to the cause of the people of her race, the Slavs, who have been tortured and abused by the Turks and held in subjection by the Austrians for many years.

Bulgaria has nothing to gain by an alliance with Germany and Austria, much less with Turkey, except the Macedonian territory out of which she was defrauded, according to Bulgarian views, when the partition of territory followed the Balkan war. Her anger at the partition resulted in the second Balkan war between Bulgaria on one side and Servia and Greece on the other..

By her alliance with Turkey, Bulgaria has placed herself beyond the pale with the other Balkan nations. She has suffered as severely in the centuries past from Turkish tyranny and cruelty as have the others, and she is siding with her traditional and hereditary foe for the sake of the territory which Germany and Austria have promised her in case of the success of their armies.

Without Bulgaria the Teutons would easily be defeated. Even with her help, it is not certain that they will not have to sue for peace before the coming year is ended. And when, if ever, the allies win, Bulgaria's position as a defeated traitor will certainly be unbearable.

It is comprehensible that the Balkans should refuse to accept any terms that would restore to Turkey any of her former possessions. It is also comprehensible that they might refuse to enter into any treaty which should stipulate acceptable terms for Bulgaria should they win.

The fall of the Turkish power in Europe seems inevitable. When the Turk is driven from Europe is it possible that any of the territory which shall be forcibly taken from him will be given to a nation that allied itself with Turkey and her backers?

And no matter how the present war results, in future conflicts all of the Balkan peoples will remember Bulgaria's act of treachery, and will no daubt quote the "thirty pieces of silver" which represented another historical act of treachery as being the motive that actuated Bulgaria in siding with her natural enemy for the sake of securing a territorial advantage..

Greece must eventually come into the struggle. Her very existence depends upon the defeat of Turkey, and the latter cannot be defeated without disaster to her new allies, whose ancestors fought her during the centuries of Mohammedan invasion in order to preserve their national lives.

The danger to the Servian resistance which comes from Bulgaria invasion should animate Greece to drope her attitude of neutrality and set in motion the machinery which will aid in preserving her as a nation.

The success of the Teutons would mean a re-partition of the Balkans, much of the conquered territory going to Turkey, and Greece might find herself in danger of losing, not only the territory which she lately wrested from the Turks, but a great part of that which King George was called to reign over when he first came, a Danish price, to accept the crown of Greece.

Very properly, the name of Bulgaria will be anathema among the Balkan nations until that country redeems herself by again joining her own people in their fight against the oppressor.

THE CARRANZA LOAN.

News comes that New Orleans bankers are arranging a ten-million dollar loan for Carranza, the entire Mexican sisal crop to be handled through New Orleans in return for the loan. New Orleans men will also build a million dollar plant for the manufacture of sisal from the Yucatan henequen, thus securing control of the entire crop of the valuable fiber.

In The Forum for September appears an article by Carlo de Fornaro, which is so evidently inspired by the Carranza element as to be of little value as a statement of facts. The writer is a man who was imprisoned for a year by the Diaz regime in Mexico because of libelous articles concering the government, and he has been a Carranza apologist ever since the uprising under the "first chief."

Fornaro charges the International Harvester Company with stifling the henequen industry in Yucatan for the sake of securing control of the cordage manufacture of the United States, and his argument is that all the American and foreign corporations in Mexico were responsible for the Huerta dictatorship and the revolt against Madero.

Then he states that the closing of the port of Progreso and the prohibition of exportation of sisal was due solely to the attempts of Carranza to subdue the rebels in Yucatan, forgetting that if Carranza believed himself justified in the slightest degree in closing that port he never would have submitted to the demand of our government to permit the exportation of the fiber.

He further charges that the arrival of Huerta on the Mexican border was a part of the plot to help Argumedo control the sisal situation in Yucatan, and therefore to go to the aid of the American Harvester Company in its attempt to control the world's supply of sisal.

But how does this present arrangement chime with the purely patriotic motives of the Carranza government? Is it any worse for the Harvester company to control the supply of sisal than it is for a New Orleans syndicate to control it? Of course, the answer is that the International Harvester Company would not finance the Carranza government, and the New Orleans group will.

From time to time charges have been made that important commercial interests in the United States were donating large sums to the various movements in Mexico in the hope of securing control of one or the other great industry when peace should be restored.

But the truth is that one after the other of the foreign interests in Mexico were "assessed" their share of the contributions to the war chest of the various factions, and those that did not "come across" were forced out of the country, or their property was destroyed and their agents assassinated.

This was not only the case with the Carranza territory, but the same thing existed in the Villa and Zapata territory. Even now it is feared that Villa will seize mines and other American industries in his territory and attempt to dispose of them in order to carry on his fight against Carranza.

The main reason that the International Harvester Company has been singled out for "discipline" at the hands of the New Orleans competitors is that it would not be bled by the Carrancistas, and therefore its business in Mexico is to be given to some one else who will be more amenable to a "touch."

Ten million dollars is a pretty high price to pay for the sisal monopoly, especially to a government that so far has done nothing to prove its stability. Should the Carranza government be overthrown—and there are many who do not believe it will continue for more than a few months—the security for the loan would be worth little more than the debased Carranza currency.

With two Mexican raids in the Brownsville section in one day, it is evident that all's not "quiet along the Potomac." John Garner's statement that if the federal government did not put a stop to the abuses the people of Texas would, seems to come nearest to our attitude.

King Albert of Belgium was prompt to refuse the request of the pope that he initiate steps for peace. Albert seems inclined to accept Polonius' advice: "Beware of entrance to a quarrel, but being in, bear't that the opposed may beware of thee."

THE BROWNSVILLE MIXUP.

The Recent Train Hold-up Near There and Attack on Military Camp in Night Causes U. S. to Act.

The announcement in today's dispatches from Washington that the Twenty-eight Infantry regiment at Dallas had been ordered to the Brownsville country, and the Twenty-third regiment, now at Jacksonville, Fla., had been ordered to be in readiness to return to Gaveston for possible service on the border, does not cause any surprise, following what has happened during the past few days not far distant from Brownsville.

That the bold train hold-up several days ago was the work of Mexican brigands is admittedly true. That the gang who attacked an American army camp in the dead hours of yesterday morning were Mexican bandits is also no doubt true. But who is going to cause these Mexican raids to cease—the Carranza forces at Matamoros or the American forces? If one can't stop them, the other must. There was a prophecy made in a little verse published in the Times several days ago, which recited several things and concluded with the words, "Time will tell if this is so," that applies to present conditions.

LARGE NUMBER AT SMOKER GIVEN AT FIREMEN'S HALL

ABOUT SIXTY MEMBERS OF FIRE DEPT. ENJOYED EVENING.

Delicious Refreshments Were Served, Short Talks and Jokes Were Given and Friendly Feeling Generally.

The smoker given by the Laredo Fire Department last night in their hall in the Central fire station was attended by about sixty members of the organization, and the result was one of the most pleasant evenings ever spent by the fireboys together, an air of genuine friendship and brotherly feeling pervading the atmosphere and each and every fireboy vieing with each other to make the time a good one from every viewpoint. These get-together meetings conduce to the good of the organization in many ways, and especially in cementing the friendly feeling of the boys (they range in age from 18 to 80, but they are boys just the same) and making them feel that every individual member has a part to perform in making the fire department a success. "Harmony" was the watchword at the smoker last night, and the necessity of harmony and unity was emphasized in some of the remarks made, especially in the address by J. W. Kenney, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, and the orator of the Heights Chemical Co. Mr. Kenney's address contained much logic and good sound advice, and his words were couched in that sincere and comprehensive wording that left no room to construe his meaning ambiguously. He recited what the fireboys had already done for Laredo in reducing the key rate of fire insurance, of hard work done in saving buildings from the fire demon and the general usefulness the fire laddies had proven themselves to be to Laredo.

The talks last night was preceded by the serving of refreshments which were set on a long table occupying the center of the Firemen's Hall. On the festal board were arranged the delectable viands assembled for the occasion, these consisting of hot tamales, chicken sandwiches, pickles, cheese (strong enough to walk) and an effervescent bottled goods. Following the doing of justice to the eats part of the program members were called on to say something—and this some of them certainly did, for the air resounded with laughter and a spirit of genuine good felowship was shown. Before the short talks were finished it was brought out as being the sentiment of all present that these gatherings be held more frequently in future, as they are the kind that promote better feeling among the members and bring them into closer contact and better working order.

Why Not Be Good?

At the Strand Tuesday evening you will see good vaudeville, good pictures and help a good cause all for a dime.

10-21-2t.

(Adv.)

REVIEW OF TROOPS TOMORROW.

All Forces Except Artillery Will Pass in Review of General Evans Tomorrow Morning at 8 O'clock.

A grand review of the infantry and cavalry forces stationed at the Ninth Infantry Camp and Fort McIntosh will be held on the review grounds at Fort McIntosh tomorrow morning beginning at 8 o'clock and a spectacle will be presented that will be worth the while going to witness.

The reviewing officers will be Brigadier General R. K. Evans and his staff, and also Colonel C. J. Crane of the Ninth Infantry and Col. Brown of the Fourteenth Cavalry. The review will no doubt be witnessed by many Laredo people and the procession will be headed by the Ninth Infantry Band.

Notice.

Having sold my interest in the firm of Earnest & Bunn Co. to Messrs. H. G. Earnest and Frank A. Lattig, I wish in retiring from the business to thank the general public and my friends in particular for courtesies, favors and patronage given me and assure them that it was appreciated and that any time I can serve them I will be glad to do so.

W. Y. BUNN,

10-22-2t.

(Adv.)

Why Not Publish It?

When you want a fact to become generally known, the right way is to publish it. Mrs. Joseph Kallans, Peru, Ind., was troubled with belching, sour stomach and frequent headaches. She writes, "I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me. They have helped my digestion and regulated my bowels. Since using them I have been entirely well." For sale by all dealers.

(Adv.)

ARE PREPARING BIG OVATION FOR FIRST CHIEF CARRANZA

WILL BE WELCOMED IN NUEVO LAREDO WITH A BIG NOISE.

First Chief Scheduled to Beach Nuevo Laredo Tomorrow on a Special Train; Program Elaborate One.

According to information given out from Nuevo Laredo today, the big man of Mexico, First Chief Venustiano Carranza, is expected to reach the burg cross the stream tomorrow night on a special thain and the people of that place have completed all plans to make a big noise denoting his arrival. The din will start with the sighting of the train on the distant prairies and the hullabaloo will be incessant until the big chief is landed at the headquarters of the military chief, is given some feed and makes a speech to the masses.

According to the program of festivities planned for the welcoming of Carranza in Nuevo Laredo, the military, headed by the military band of that place, will participate in a grand parade through the business section of the city, traversing the several principal streets and ending at the municipal building.

Following this several orators will vent their eloquence on the assembled masses and perhaps the first chief will also make an address. The ovation to be tendered Carranza, however, will be whole-hearted and sincere and to him will be demonstrated the fact that Nuevo Laredo rejoices at the assurance of peace and also the victory of the arms of the Carranza cause—if they are averse to these sentiments they realize the truth of the old axiom, "silence is golden."

Laredo people who hear a "heap big noise" across the river tomorrow afternoon or night need not be alarmed, for that is a custom of welcoming that has been heard several times before and on the next occasion will be that accorded the president de facto of Mexico, First Chief Venustiano Carranza.

In anticipation of making the welcome of Nuevo Laredo second to none accorded Carranza elsewhere, the people of the Mexican city across the way are preparing to put the city in gala attire and the resplendent colors of Mexico will flutter everywhere. From the railroad station to Hidalgo plaza over there will be a continuous passageway through the streets lined on both sides with bunting, flags and flowers, while at the street intersections will be crossed arches made of banners, flags, bunting, flowers and tri-colored incandescents, for use both day and night. On Hidalgo plaza a jamaica will be carried on, while a genuine Mexican carnival in general will prevail. The military band of Nuevo Laredo has been increased from twenty-six to forty-two musicians and will furnish the music during the day Carranza is in Nuevo Laredo—which will be either Sunday or Monday. He is expected to reach Nuevo Laredo either tomorrow evening or Sunday morning.

Chrysanthemums.

Chrysanthemums for November 1st and 2nd; also other cut flowers at usual prices. Mrs. Chas. Albrecht, florist, cut flowers and plants, 1238-1240 Commerce street, San Antonio, Texas. 10-21-6t.

(Adv.)

"CO-OPERATION" IS THE MOTTO.

To The Times:—The motto of the Heights Civic Club is "Co-operation," and it is the especial pride of the Club that in all of its undertakings every member has worked for results. Civic work knows no individual and the work of any member or of several members should not stand out in contrast. Whatever benefits the Heights, benefits Laredo as a whole; and it is owing to the many courtesies of the press, the city officials, the business men and the people in general, that the Heights Civic Club has felt encouraged to undertake the beautifying of Loma Vista Park.

MEMBER.

Notice to the Public.

Having bought the interest of W. Y. Bunn in the business of Earnest & Bunn Co., we shall continue the business under the name of Earnest-Lattig Co. We thank our friends for their past patronage and solicit their continued support, assuring them of our appreciation and of our determination to serve them faithfully.

H. G. EARNEST,,
F. A. LATTIG.

10-22-6t.

Notice.

The ladies of the Metthodist church will hold a cake and pie sale on Saturday, October 23rd from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. at the Sanitary Grocery.

10-21-3t.

(Adv.)

SERBIA ANNOUNCES GREAT TEUTON LOSSES AND REPULSE AUSTRO-GERMAN INVASION

Greece will Refuse to Relinquish Her Present Policy of Armed Neutrality Despite the British Offer to Cede Island of Cyprus in Return for Greek Aid of the Entente Alliance.

AMERICAN TROOPS AS REINFORCEMENT

TWENTY-EIGHTH INFANTRY ORDERED TO HARLINGEN TO HELP PROTECT THE SMALL TOWNS.

By Associated Press

Washington, Oct. 22.—The Twenty-eighth Infantry has been ordered to Harlingen, Texas, on account of the renewal of the bandit raids on the Texas border. The Twenty-eighth is now at Dallas, giving military exhibitions at the State Fair. The troops will be used to give added protection at small posts such as Ojo del Agua. The Twenty-third Infantry, now at Jacksonville, Fla., at the National rifle match, will return to Galveston to be held in readiness for use on the border.

Officials explained that the army is doing all it legally can to check the raids. They said the situation is not a military one but civil, under Texas jurisdiction. Unless the governor formally requests federal intervention there is no authority for martial law. Troops may repel attacks, but are even now exceeding the rigid interpretation of their powers when they aid in pursuit of bandits.

The department of justice will detail more agents along the Mexican border immediately to help meet raids and prevent violation of the embargo on arms. Attorney General Gregory and President Wilson conferred today over the situation.

To Entrain Tomorrow.

Dallas, Texas, Oct. 22.—The Twenty-eighth Infantry expects to entrain here for Harlingen tomorrow morning.

Lopez to Coperate.

Brownsville, Texas, Oct. 22.—The border was reported quiet last night. Gen. Lopez, the Carranza commander at Matamoros, today promised to make an active campaign against the bandits on the Mexican side of the river. The Carranza consul here announces that Gen. Lopez has requested more troops.

Yaquis Ambushed Carrancistas.

Topolobampo, Mex., Oct. 22.—One hundred and fifty Yaquis ambushed and killed 44 Carranza soldiers near the plantation of the United States Sugar company at Los Mochis. Carranza troops were sent from Los Mochis to fight them.

NATIONAL GUARD WON.

By Associated Press.

Jacksonville, Fla., Oct. 22.—The National Guard team won the United Service rifle match today with 2228 out of a possible 2400. The Marine Corps was second and the army team third.

LADY MACABEES HAVE NEW BUILDING.

Port Huron, Mich., Oct. 22.—The new $200,000 office building of the Women's Benefit Association of the Modern Macabees will be dedicated today. Miss Bian West, who organied and built up the organization is the heroine of this city today, and a public celebration is in progress. Twenty three years ago she began work without members or funds. There are now 186,000 women enrolled and the reserve fund of the society reaches nine millions.

Notice to Hunters.

The hunting season is now at hand and you will need a hunting car. We have a number of good second hand cars that we will sell at a bargain. All of these cars have been thoroughly overhauled and newly painted. In our list you will find Buicks, Overlands, Fords, etc. Prices ranging from $125 to $400.

LAREDO AUTO SALES Co.

10-21-tf.

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 22.—Nish reports that the Austro-German losses were 60,000 dead, wounded and prisoners and the invasion was repulsed.

Retain Armed Neutrality.

Rome, Oct. 22.—From information available today it appears that the Greek government is likely to reply to representations just made by the allies that Greece will continue her policy of armed neutrality.

British Submarines Active.

Stockholm, Oct. 22.—The British submarine campaign against German shipping continues. Four more German merchantment were sunk. They range from 1,000 to 4,000 tons.

Bulgarians Are Advancing.

Berlin, Oct. 22.—Army headquarters announced today that the Bulgarians have advanced south of the Strumitz river, driving the forces opposing them across the Vardar river.

Greece Refused Offer.

London, Oct. 22.—The Times says today it understands that Greece has rejected the offer of England to cede the island of Cyprus to Greece in return for Greece's entry into the war.

German Attacks Unsuccessful.

Paris, Oct. 22.—The Germans last night unsuccessfully attacked the French positions near Givencey and Souchez.

German Threats in Russia.

London, Oct. 22.—Petrograd reports say that Germans informed the inhabitants of Mittau that if unsuccessful in their attack on Riga and compelled to retire they will raze all villages on the line of their retreat.

Italians Advancing.

Verona, Italy, Oct. 22.—The Italians penetrated esven miles in one attack north of the city of Trent against the Austrians.

Russian Attacks Repulsed.

Berlin, Oct. 22.—Russian attacks about Barnovichi were repulsed and 3,600 Russians captured in that district in the past few days.

British Casualties Heavy.

London, Oct. 22.—The British casualties so far this month were 52,375.

ENDORSED DALLAS.

By Associated Press.

Dallas, Texas, Octo. 22.—The state Democratic executive committee today endorsed Dallas for the 1916 National Democratic convention.

GREAT SUFFRAGE PARADE IN NEW YORK.

New York, Oct. 22—When Mrs. Leonard M. Thomas, the young society leader of New York and Newport, leads the march up Fifth Avenue tomorrow afternoon, one of the biggest suffrage parades ever held will be under way. Mrs. Leonard makes her official debut as a marcher on that occasion. It is expected that 20,000 women will be in line. One division will represent the 26 countries in which the women's International Alliance is organized.

Mrs. Thomas wil carry the standard of the Alliance. Gowned in the white she will lead the big parade, with Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, founder and President of the Alliance just behind her. Then will follow the 26 groups of thirteen each, representing the nations. The standerd bearers attched to each group will elevate the national flag of each country, as well as standards that tell the status of the women of that country.

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MEXICANS ATTACK TEXAS RESIDENTS

A COUPLE NEAR MARTINDALE KILLED TWO OF ASSAILANTS AND WERE BOTH SEVERELY WOUNDED.

By Associated Press.

San Marcos, Texas, Oct. 22.—Alfred Wilkie and wife were attacked by three Mexicans at their home near Martindale late yesterday. Both were wounded, but they killed two of the Mexicans in a hand-to-hand fight. The other Mexican fled. Both the Wilkies are expected to recover. Wilkie asserted the Mexicans tried to assassinate him.

SEEKS TO SAVE LAKE LINES.

Washington, Oct. 22.—The petition of the Lehigh Valley R. R. for a rehearing on the question of its ownership of steamship lines on the great lakes will be argued tomorrow before the Interstate Commerce Commission. The arguments will be confined to the merits of the Lehigh case alone, based on the records now before the commission. The railroad was required to give up its ships by the commission's decision, which affected all rail carriers owning like lines. The Lehigh contents that it differs greatly from the other carriers, and has been granted an opportunity to argue its case.

WATCHING A PRESIDENT'S WOOING.

Washington, Oct. 22.—Silent watchers behind gauzy curtains have had their eyes keenly levelled for many days at the Galt home in Twentieth Street. Nearly every afternoon guests arrive from distant parts of the city to join the sitters and watchers who have enjoyed observing a President's wooing.

"The President is just like a schoolboy; he is heels over head in love," is the whispered comment, when the chief executive steps from his motor car and advances to the Galt door. Attired faultlessly in frock coat, tall silk hat, razor-creased trousers and gray gloves, he is the cynosure of all eyes on the street. The smile on his face shines out his youthful happiness or his consciousness that a lot of gossips are watching every detail.

Like a sign that read "The President is wooing," three secret service men sit in the executive automobile, patiently waiting for their chief. Soon there gather many urchins and young girls. Women come from all directions as the news travels, and they linger at some distance in a guilty sort of way.

The watchers stick to their posts like "fans" at a baseball game. Rumor goes up and down among them that the date of the wedding is being set. Hours go by and yet the full gallery, exposed and behind the gauze curtains, never tire. Then they are rewarded with a view of the President leaving the house alone. A smile is on his face, and he slaps his gloves on his left hand in real beau fashion.

When the motor whirls him away, there is a sigh, and all the watchers begin to think of supper and are satisfied that they "saw all there was to see."

A Wonderful Antiseptic.

Germs and infection aggravate ailments and retard healing. Stop that infection at once. Kill the germs and get rid of the poisons. For this purpose a single application of Sloan's Liniment not only kills the pain but destroys the germs. This neutralizes infection and gives nature assistance by overcoming congestion and gives a chance for the free and normal flow of the blood. Sloan's Liniment is an emergency doctor and should be kept constantly on hand. 25c., 50c. The $1.00 size contains six times as much as the 25c.

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CLUB GETS CHARTER AND WILL SOON GET RIFLES

EMBERS WILL HOLD MEETING TOMORROW NIGHT.

Will Get Things Lined Up So as to Order Number of Rifles and Later Arrange Target Practice.

Yesterday the charter for the Laredo Rifle Club, which was organied here several weeks ago with a membership of about fifty representative men of Laredo, was received by the secretary, D. C. Kinne. The charter is an artistically engraved piece of lithographic work, with the name of the local society engrossed by hand in India ink.

A meeting of the Rifle Club has been called for tomorrow night at Firemen's Hall by President Albert Offer, and all members are urged to be present, as business of vital importance will be communicated to them and action taken on same. The Laredo Rifle Club is incorporated under the provisions of the National Rifle Association, and therefore is under their supervision, the National Rifle Association being operated with the approval and sanction of the department of war of the United States.

As soon as all preliminary arrangements are completed and members are finally lined up for compliance with the provisions of the organization, they will each be enabled to procure their own Krag-Jorgensen rifles from the National Rifle Association at the minimum price of $5 each, while ammunition for these former army rifles will be furnished at a nominal price in fact every inducement is made members of the rifle clubs affiliated with the National Rifle Association to become proficient in the use of high power and long range rifles and thus equip themselves with a knowledge of the arms to be prepared to use them in case of an emergency, such as a riot, etc.

Membership in the club, though, does not entitle one on to go on a rampage and try his gun on human targets even during a riot or other domestic disturbances; he only joins the association with the avowed intention of learning how to shoot and use the guns.

As soon as the Laredo Rifle Club gets things working systematically they will arrange for target practice after they secure the necessary number of rifles, and the instruction in the use of the rifles will be under some army expert who will willingly teach beginners.

Notice.

The ladies of the Metthodist church will hold a cake and pie sale on Saturday, October 23rd from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. at the Sanitary Grocery.

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(Adv.)

Scared the Burglar Away.

On Tuesday during the daytime an intruder visited the home of A. R. Kahn on the Heights and after effecting an entrance proceeded to gather up some valuables. He had placed a number of silver spoons, etc., into his pocket when Mrs. Kahn happened to enter the room where he was operating. He dodged behind a cabinet until she had her back turned toward him, and then the burglar hiked to the window, darted out of it and disappeared with the spoons.

"OO-y! My Corn-n!" H-m, Use 'Gets-It'

Then You'll Have No Corns to Bump! Your Corns Will Come "Clean Off," Quick!

Did you ever see a corn peel off after you've used "Gets-It" on it? Well, it's a moving-picture for your life! And you hardly do a thing to it.



Put a little "Gets-It" on, it dries at once. There's nothing to stick. Put shoes and stockings on right over it. No pain, no fuss, 48 hours—corns gone. "Gets-It" never hurts the true flesh, never makes toes sore. If you have tried almost everything else for corns, you will be much more surprised to see how quickly and easily your corns and calluses will come right off with "Gets-It." Quit limping and wrinkling up your face with corn-wrinkles. Try "Gets-It" tonight on that corn, callus, wart or bunion, and you'll be glad you read this.

"Gets-It" is sold by all druggists, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

Sold in Laredo and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by Flavio Vargas.

FUNERAL HELD THIS MORNING.

Large Concourse of Friends Attended Funeral of Francisco Farias This Morning; Many Flowers Sent.

During yesterday and last night numerous friends of the deceased man, Francisco Farias, the octogenarian citizen who passed to his eternal home on Tuesday night, visited the house of sorrow and gazed on the stilled countenance of the sleeper, spoke words of commendation as they looked on him and turned away after placing beautiful flowers at his bier. This morning when the funeral services were ready to begin the casket occupied a place embanked on all sides by veritable mounds of delicate and tender floral wreaths and pretty designs, an attestation in itself of the high esteem in which the departed was held by all his friends and acquaintances.

The funeral procession left the home at 409 San Bernardo Avenue for San Agustin cathedral at 9 o'clock. At the church solemn funeral rites were conducted, together with a mass of requiem, and with all solemnity and impressiveness the obsequies were of a kind consistent with the good Christian life that the deceased had followed while in this vale of sorrow. From the church the procession moved to the Catholic cemetery, where interment was made in the family burial plot by the side of the remains of the dear companion who preceded him to the eternal home about nine years ago. The grave was filled in and then a mound of flowers were heaped high to mark the last resting place of the aged citizen who reposed thereunder.

The following acted as pall-bearers: Active—Adolfo Farias, A. L. Vidaurri, J. A. Ortiz, T. A. Leyendecker, J. A. Rodriguez, and Joe Martin. Honorary—Leonides Garcia, Santos Treviño, P. P. Leyendecker, B. A. Puig, Antonio Salinas, J. V. Benavides, Jose Mogas, and Miguel Benavides.

Why Not Be Good?

At the Strand Tuesday evening you will see good vaudeville, good pictures and help a good cause all for a dime.

10-21-2t.

(Adv.)

WERE ARRESTED AT THE MINES.

Two Americans Taken Into Custody Yesterday Charged With Theft of Auto and Finally Selling It.

Constable Warner Petty came in from the mines this morning with two young Americans whom he arrested there yesterday evening charged with the theft of an automobile in San Antonio, and later with disposing of it to Dr. Jackson of Santo Tomas.

The two men were placed in jail here and San Antonio officers are expected to reach here this afternoon or tomorrow to identify the automobile and take the prisoners back to San Antonio to face the charges against them.

Neuralgia of the face, shoulder, hands, or feet requires a powerful remedy that will penetrate the flesh. BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT possesses that power. Rubbed in where the pain is felt is all that is necessary to relieve suffering and restore normal conditions. Price 25c, 50c and $1.00 per bottle. Sold by all druggists. x

(Adv.)

Director Plowman Seeks Papers.

With the clerk of the federal court here today the popular director of the Ninth Infantry Band, Lambert Charles Plowman, a native of India and subject of Great Britain, filed his application for final naturalization papers.

Wormy children are unhappy, puny and sickly. They can't be otherwise while worms eat away their strength and vitality. A few doses of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE performs a marvelous transformation, Cheerfulness, strength and the rosy bloom of health speedily return. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. x

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BIG MOVEMENTS OF IMPORTS FROM MEXICO ARE EXPECTED

TO BEGIN AS SOON AS RAILROADS CAN HANDLE BUSINESS.

But Dearth in Car Supplies Hinder Movement Being in Progress Now; Big Shipments Bullion Soon.

Importations from Mexico are now passing through this port in heavy shipments, and although there is a scarcity in cars sufficient to accommodate the present demands for facilities to handle the heavy shipments of ores and other products of Central and Northern Mexico, the incoming importations are in carload lots attached to the regular train and as special freight trains.

Yesterday the importations arriving here comprised a total of twenty-six carloads, which were crossed to this side this morning after being fumigated and inspected and will go forward without further delay. The shipment consisted of thirteen carloads of ixtle, four carloads of calamine and nine carloads containing lots of hides, skins, bones and other material.

As soon as sufficient cars and more locomotives can be obtained to handle the accumulated bullion shipments which are now in the warehouses of the American Smelting and Refining Co. at Monterey and Matehuala, and which will soon be ready for transporting to the United States, there will be heavy shipments of gold and silver bullion through here.

The smelters are beginning to resume operations after being closed down for a year or more, but as soon as they get under full headway and train service is re-established to that extent where the railroads can handle the products of the smelters, there will be immense quantities of bullion passing through Laredo en route to the refineries of the American Smelting and Refining Co. at Perth Amboy, New Jersey.

Chrysanthemums.

Chrysanthemums for November 1st and 2nd; also other cut flowers at usual prices. Mrs. Chas. Albrecht, florist, cut flowers and plants, 1238-1240 Commerce street, San Antonio, Texas. 10-21-6t.

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HAS DECIDED TO LOCATE HERE.

Dr. Adelina Thaison, a Graduate in Osteopathy, Has Decided to Locate in Home City and Practice.

The many friends of Dr. Adelina Thaison, one of Laredo's most popular young ladies and a recent graduate of the school of osteopathy of Kirksville, Mo.) are delighted to learn that she has decided to remain in Laredo and as soon as suitable quarters can be obtained for the purposes she will open up-to-date office rooms in this city and engage in the practice of her profession.

Dr. Adelina Thaison was at one time a member of Laredo's efficient corps of teachers and was attached to the high school, and her many friends hope her every success of which she is deserving.

Some Wonderful Properties.

The properties used in the William Fox production of "Sin" in which Theda Bara, the Vampire Woman is starred, at the Strand this evening, are the most elaborate and varied ever called for. The property list includes almost every conceivable article, ranging from an Italian necklace of gaily colored stones to a five thousand ton steamship, which latter is going some. A special property room had to be built at the William Fox studios to house the "props" for this single production alone, on account of the extent and elaborate nature of the effects used. When seen upon the screen this lavish attention to detail and carefully painstaking effort to leave nothing undone to make the picture effective, is one of the first things that strikes the spectator. See the play at the Strand.

Hold Your Tickets Until

TUESDAY

Vaudeville Delayed

HEIGHTS CIVIC CLUB

PERSONALS

Henry Edds of Hebbronville is a guest at the Hamilton.

H. H. Reeder of San Antonio is a guest at the Bender.

John D. Davis of Joyce is a visitor in the city.

W. B. A. Dingwall of San Antonio arrived in the city yesterday and is stopping at the Hamilton.

H. C. Dinkins arrived in the city this morning from San Antonio and is stopping at the Bender.

C. Hanson, claim agent of the I. & G. N., arrived in the city this morning and is stopping at the Bender.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Skinner and little daughter, Virginia and Miss Elizabeth Strozzi left this morning for Corpus Christi to attend the Texas Mexican Mission conference.

George W. Sprague returned yesterday afternoon from Corpus Christi, where he went on Sunday in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of his mother-in-law, Mrs. Mary Downey, but who is now slightly improved.

HAMILTON:—H. C. Field, Los Angeles; Chas. W. Brokaw, New York; Chas. Baxter, San Antonio; E. M. Villareal, Monterey; Henry Edds, Hebbronville; R. J. Topliffe, Humble; J. D. Davis, R. W. Davis, Dolores; Wm. H. McCord, San Diego; C. W. Hinwrichs, St. Louis, Mo.; R. S. Norris, Galveston; J. S. Clarkson, Houston; J. T. Robinson, Austin; H. C. Hubbs, San Marcos; J. O. Coupland, Rusk; W. B. A. Dingwall, San Antonio.

BENDER:—W. L. McFall, San Antonio; J. O. Coupland, Rusk; H. C. Hubbs, San Marcos; J. T. Robinson, Austin; A. W. Foster, H. H. Reeder, Leslie Payne, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. William Haspel, New Orleans, La.; B. H. Zubar, St. Louis, Mo.; L. H. Littrell, Houston; Thos. L. Philips, Dallas; J. M. Gorden, F. L. Guzman, J. B. Ramos, E. M. Lewis, San Antonio; H. C. Dinkins, Houston; C. Hanson, San Antonio.

The May Apple Liver Tonic.

May Apple is an old time liver medicine. Its active principle (Podophyllin) is sometimes called Vegetable Calomel. In Po-Do-Lax May Apple is combined with other well known liver remedies, making Po-Do-Lax the ideal liver medicine. It arouses the liver, increases bile, does not gripe, has no nausea and one feels fine generally. Get a 50c. bottle, take a dose tonight and notice how much better you feel—you cannot afford to get along without Po-Do-Lax. "The Liver Tonic with Vegetable Calomel." 50c.

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Files Suit Against Bank.

A suit has been filed with the clerk of the United States District Court in this city, styled H. T. McCabe vs. the Laredo National Bank, a suit on money deposited and damages in the sum of $5,000. The case is set for trial at the session of federal court to be held here next month.

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Entered Military Service.

Dr. R. K. Stacey, who several days ago received notice of his appointment from the medical reserve corps as a first lieutenant with station at the Ninth Infantry Camp, received his commission and was today inducted into the service. Now we salute First Lieutenant Stacey and wish him success.

A Wonderful Antiseptic.

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A Popular Story.

Tonight at the Rex will be presented that ever popular mixture of comedy, pathos and love, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," with a splendid cast. All are familiar with the beautiful story, and the dramatization has been one of the successes of recent years.

For Neat and Accurate Job Work ring up 43.

RUSSIANS ANOUNCE IMPORTANT VICTORY CAPTURED SEVERAL GERMAN POSITIONS

Serbians Now Seriously Menaced and Saloniki Railroad Cut at Two Points—King Albert of Belgium Refuses Pope's Appeal to Initiate Steps for Peace and Will Keep on Fighting.

MEXICANS ATTACK AMERICAN TROOPS

THREE SOLDIERS KILLED AND EIGHT WOUNDED, WHILE FIVE MEXICANS WERE ALSO KILLED.

By Associated Press.

Brownsville, Texas, Oct. 21.—About 75 Mexicans this morning at 2 o'clock attacked 15 American soldiers at Ojo del Agua, a small Mexican settlement on the American side about 60 miles up the Rio Grande from here. Three soldiers were killed and eight wounded, and at least five Mexicans were killed in a 40-minute battle which followed. The Mexicans fled when Captain Frank R. McCoy arrived about 45 minutes after the beginning of the fight from Mission with two troops of cavalry. Most of the bandits fled across the Rio Grande. The Mexicans slain in the fight had white hat bands bearing the words "Viva Villa."

It was learned that Luis de la Rosa, who led the train robbers here Monday night, escaped across to the Mexican side of the river, and was seen yesterday at a point nearly opposite Ojo del Agua, where he had a camp.

The Carranza consul here went to Matamoros today, bearing urgent requests for action from the American authorities to General Lopez, the Carranza commander.

The soldiers slain were: Sergeant Shafer of the Third Cavalry, commanding the entire detachment under attack, and Privates Joyce and McConnell of the Signal Corps. The American picket gave the warning in time for the troops to thwart the surprise attack.

Another Bandit Raid.

Brownsville, Texas, Oct. 21.—Another bandit raid occurred early today near Sebastian, 40 miles north of here, and nearly 50 miles from Ojo del Agua. The bandits were sufficiently strong to hold off the rangers and deputies who tried to pursue them. No casualties were reported.

Villistas Stop Fighting.

New York, Oct. 21.—Mexican leaders of the Villa party here are reported to have notified Villa that he must stop fighting Carranza and come to the United States, otherwise all his prominent generals will quit him. It is understood that these leaders will adopt a waiting policy without attempting to violate neutrality.

Plan to Block Villa.

Washington, Oct. 21.—If Villa confiscates the mines, smelters and cattle that he controls, as confidential state department advices indicate he is preparing to do, the American government will find a way to prevent him disposing of the property in the United States. This may be done by holding the property on this side for the rightful owners.

PROTECTION FOR INVESTORS.

Topeka, Kas., Oct. 21—State officials from many states who are charged with the duty of protecting investors from stock swindlers met here today in a national convention to organize for the promotion of uniform state laws for the better protection of the public, and to frame a federal law which will not conflict with state laws.

Auction Sale.

Shipment 21 packages filing cabinets shipped by The Shaw Walker Co., of Muskegon, Mich., covered by St. L. I. M. S., E. St. Louis to Mexico City, Way bill M. P. 30,638, of Feb. 2, 1913, consigned to Max Otto, Mexico City, will be auctioned at Laredo Transfer station 30 days from this date or on October 18th, 1915, to the highest bidder for cash.

J. C. SEYMOUR,
Joint Agent.

9-18-30t. (Adv.)

By Associated Press.

Petrograd, Oct. 21.—The war office today announced an important Russian success near Barnovichi, resulting in the capture of several German positions, 3,552 men, ten machine guns and one cannon.

The Barnovichi victory was near the center of the Russian line where no fighting recently has been reported.

Germans Were Repulsed.

Paris, Oct. 21.—The Germans last night made three unsuccessful attacks near Rheims and were repulsed with heavy loss.

Servian Army Menaced.

Paris, Oct. 21.—A Nish official statement yesterday announced that the Servian army is now seriously menaced and the Saloniki railroad is cut in two places.

King Albert Said No.

Rome, 21.—King Albert of Belgium replied "No" to the pope's letter urging him to initiate steps for peace.

COTTON SEED HIGH.

By Associated Press.

Terrell, Tex., Oct. 21.—Cotton seed sold for $42 a ton here today.

THANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 21.—President Wilson today proclaimed Thursday, November 25, as Thanksgiving Day.

FORMER GOVERNOR UP FOR CRIMINAL LIBEL.

Boston, Oct. 21—The charges of crminal libel brought against former Governor Eugene N. Foss of Massachusetts, as the result of the recent political campaign, by Dennis D. Driscoll, a labor leader, will have an airing in the court today. The former governor had publicly charged that Driscoll had offered to call off a strike at the Foss factories if the proprietor, who has then governor, woud make a certain appointment to a state board. The case has aroused much political interest, and will be bitterly contested by both sides.

BIBLE CLASSES SHOULDER RIFLES.

Philadelphia, Oct. 21—The formal opening of the Drexel Biddle Military Instruction Camp will take place tomorrow. The camp will be a duplicate of the recent citizen camp at Plattsburg, and is located on the grounds of the Drexel Biddle Bible Classes at Lansdowne. With the approval of the War Department, the capm will give military instruction in all branches of the service. Most of the recruits are members of the Bible Classes, and fully 3,000 men and boys can be accomodated.

The purpose of the Bible training camp is to train men for peace, according to Anthony J. Drexel Biddle, who originated the idea. Letters from General Wood and Secretary of War Garrison have endorsed the camp, and commented on the fact that the local Bible Classes were the first religious bodies to aid in the nation's defense plans.

The boys have been drilling each Saturday for several weeks, hardening their muscles for the camp life. Each Friday for six weeks, the recruits will report at the camp, to remain until Monday. The recruits will live the soldier life under war conditions and will be trained in the fundamentals of modern warfare.

Health and Happiness Depend Upon Your Liver.

That sluggish liver with its sluggish flow of bile is what makes the world look so dark at times. Dr. King's New Life Pills go straight to the roof of the difficulty by waking up the action of the liver and increasing the bile. Dr. King's New Life Pills cause the bowels to act more freely and drive away those "moody days." 25c. a bottle.

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DRASTIC MEASURES FOR MOONSHINERS

HEAD OF MOONSHINE GANG GOT NINE YEARS AND FINE OF THIRTY-THREE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

By Associated Press.

Fort Smith, Ark., Oct. 21.—John L. Casper of Kansas City, the alleged head of the moonshine whiskey conspiracy, who pleaded guilty yesterday, was sentenced today to nine years and three days in Leavenworth penitentiary. Six others who confessed their guilt were sentenced to from six months in jail to two years in the penitentiary. Casper pays a fine also of $33,000.

TAFT AS WITNESS.

By Associated Press.

New York, Oct. 21.—The defense counsel in the New Haven railroad cases announced today that they expect the government will call former President Taft as a witness. Mr. Taft will be asked about his conference with Lewis Cass Ledyard about the New Haven taking over the Boston and Maine railroad.

CONSECRATE SUFFRAGAN BISHOP.

Montclair, N. J., Oct. 21.—Rev. Dr. Wilson B. Stearly, rector of St. Luke's Church, Montclair, was today consecrated Suffragan Bishop of the Newark Diocese of the Protestant Episcopal Church. Many bishops attended the ceremony which elevated him to his new office. Bishop Edwin S. Lines presided, and the consecration sermon was by Rt. Rev. Dr. Charles D. Williams of Michigan. Dr. Stearly was formerly a pastor at Cleveland, O., and he was unanimously chosen suffragan-bishop last May.

EDISON DAY AT THE FAIR.

San Francisco, Oct. 21—Thomas Edison, the American inventor, is the guest of honor at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition toda. "Edison Day" is being devoted to the veteran of the laboratory. Accompanying the inventor is Mrs. Edison, also their sons Charles and Theodore. It required the coaxing of his family and friends to induce the "wizard" to leave his workshop in New Jersey for a vacation in the west. But he is enjoing himself like a school-boy, and everything at the big Fair is interesting to him. Many leaders in the field of invention are present, and speeches will be made lauding the work of Edison.

Today was selected as "Edison Day" because is was just 36 years ago today that Edison discovered the filament used in incandescent lamps. He is generally accorded the invention of the incandescent lamp, but scientific authorities place the invention back many years before Edison set out to make a filament. European electricians had made incandescent lights, but were thwarted in their efforts to find a filament that would answer. Edison's discovery came just at the time when the manufacture of current was becoming practical, and his find revolutionized the lighting of the homes of the world.

Every Home Needs A Faithful Cough and Cold Remedy.

When seasons change and colds appear—when you first detect a cold after sitting next to one who has sneezed, then it is that a tried and tested remedy should be faithfully used. "I never wrote a testimonial before, but, I know positively that for myself and family, Dr. King's New Discovery is the best cough remedy we ever used and we have tried them all." 50c. and $1.00.

(Adv.)

From Wednesday's Daily.

RECOGNITION OF CARRANZA.

Now that the recognition of Carranza as the head of the Mexican government is an accomplished fact, many of those optimistic enough to predict an era of peace and order in our neighbor republic will be rejoiced over this official act of our government.

While none of those familiar with the situation expect important results from the recognition, there is one actual benefit to be derived from the establishment of a recognized government in Mexico; there is now a person who can be held responsible for all abuses committed against Americans, and it is hoped that our government will take prompt action to investigate any reports of abusive treatment accorded any of our citizens in the future and hold the Carranza government strictly responsible for all such acts.

So far as recognition having any important effect in putting an end to the troubles across the border, it is only necessary to remember what occurred during the short rule of Madero. The rebellion of Orozco was the first intimation that the entire republic had not willingly accepted the rule of the self-imposed apostle of liberty. Then came the revolt of Felix Diaz, which was easily nipped in the bud, and afterward came the "cuartelazo" of the men who were determined to oust Madero from the presidential chair, and who found that assassination was the most rapid and effective means of attaining their ends.

The failure to subdue all armed opposition to his party before accepting the responsibility for the government of the country does not argue well for Carranza's success. When Madero came into power he at least had the nominal backing of all parties and classes in Mexico. His failure to pacify the country came from his open break with Orozco, the man who more than all others helped him to conquer the opposing elements.

With Villa still at large; with other disturbing elements ready to revolt at a moment's notice; with some of his former chiefs—notably Lucio Blanco—dissatisfied with the treatment they have received at his hands, it is too early to predict success for Carranza's government.

Blanco at one time had an important following in the republic, and was even proposed for president when the convention declared itself the supreme power in Mexico. And Blanco has reason to dislike the new president, as it was by Carranza's orders that he was arrested and held for trial on a charge of treason—against Carranza. Should he determine to become an opponent of the new government, he can at least cause the leaders some trouble and worry.

As soon as the new government is officially established and the reorganization begins one may look for dissensions among the various chiefs who each believes himself the greatest and most important to the re-establishment of law and order.

Pablo Gonzalez and Obregon may be looked to for an exhibition of personal jealousy, and the position of commander-in-chief of the armies will no doubt be a bone of contention. Both of them so far profess to be loyal followers of Carranza, but when there are gifts of office in his hands, there may be cause for dissension over the proper one to select for the office.

Naturally every Mexican who has ever shouted a "Viva Carranza!" will want a reward for his "loyalty," and those that gather about the throne in the days to come will remind one of the people who joined David at the cave of Adullam: "And everyone that was in distress, and everyone that was in debt, and everyone that was discontented gathered themselves unto him."

And out of the discordant elements that have become so widely separated during the past five years of war must come the harmony of peace. May it soon come.

THE HIGHER STANDARD.

The governor of Porto Rico, Arthur Yeager, reports that there are now too many Porto Ricans on the island, and that the only chance many of them have is to emigrate to Cuba or the Dominican Republic in order to make a living.

The curious statement in connection with the governor's report is that the higher standard of living introduced by the Americans during their occupation is responsible for this condition, not merely because there is an increase in the native population, but because the people are unable to live in accordance with this higher standard on the low wages they receive, 60 or 70 cents a day for unskilled labor.

When the American occupation began thousands of the natives were dying annually of anemia. An American doctor discovered that this was due to the hookworm, and by an expenditure of many thousands of dollars by the American government and by the Rockefeller institute, the hookworm was almost completely eradicated, with the result that thousands of lives were saved annually.

Previous to the curing of the anemic patients, there was less than one-fourth of a normal day's work done by the average Porto Rican of the laboring class. The planters were almost a unit in declaring that the eradication of the hookworm had raised the value of the laborer's services, and that they were able to get much more work done than ever before.

If such is the case, why not raise the wages of the more efficient laborers, and permit them to live according to the higher sanitary standard introduced by the Americans? Why should a laborer in Porto Rico be paid less money than he can live on simply that an employer may add to his profits?

The greater part of the island is devoted to the raising of sugar cane. The raw sugar produced is able to enter the United States at a ruinous competition with the American sugar growers simply because it costs less to grow the cane in Porto Rico than it does in Louisiana.

Yet there is a market for all the sugar that can be raised. Each year sees a greater consumption of sugar, and the success of the beet growers is due to the fact that there was not enough cane sugar produced to satisfy the demand.

Of course it is better for the Porto Ricans that they should not die in thousands because of filthy and unsanitary surroundings. Most of those who have been saved from the ravages of the hookworm would not want to return to their former condition for any consideration.

But if we have "improved" them to such an extent that there is no longer sufficient work for the increased population, something should be done to give all of them a chance to make a living without emigrating.

Japan is one example of an overcrowded population. A recent report on Japanese cotton mills told of girls working for twelve hours daily at a pittance of 8 cents a day. Doubling this, to allow for the greater purchasing value of the circulating medium in Japan, we have but 16 cents as the daily wage of skilled cotton mill operators.

Japan has begun to reach out into the world for a place for her surplus population. Her workingmen have been sent to every available place where they are permitted, and their influx has frequently resulted in a lowering of the wage scale.

Cuba, it is true, is capable of supporting a much greater population than she now has. But does Cuba want the cheap labor of Porto Rico to compete with her own workingmen? It is not likely.

When a paternal government so raises the standard of living that a family can no longer exist on the current wages, it is time to use some effort to raise those wages. This would seem to be the only solution of Porto Rico's labor problem.

The hold-up of the train near Brownsville may, after all, have been only a celebration of the recognition of the Carranza government. Some of the Mexicans are very boisterous in their celebrations, and the "vivas" for Carranza indicate that they were his loyal followers.

The European war seems to be getting tiresome. When a day's sole activities are reported as the repulse of German attacks with hand grenades it becomes evident that the fighters are in need of a tonic.

The case against Tom Taggart has been dismissed. Must be that his services are badly needed in the campaign of the coming year, and it would not do to alienate such a hearty worker.

It seems strange that the recognition of Carranza was not made in alphabetical order. Argentina started off all right, but for the United States to follow was clearly out of order. Either Bolivia or Brazil should have come next.

MEETING OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Matter of Changing Route of Street Railway Referred to Committee For Report.

An interesting session of the city council was held last night. The petition of R. W. Morrison, president of the Laredo Electric and Railway Company, requesting authority to change the present route of the street railway to one which will serve the public better, was referred to the street and bridge committee to report at the next regular meeting. The petition of H. A. Sauvignet, requesting that the same be not granted, was ordered filed.

The Rio Grande and Eagle Pass Railway was granted an extension of one year for completing its spur track in North Laredo.

Juan Garza was granted a rebate of taxes on certain lots near the Arroyo Zacate in the Eastern Division, as it was acknowledged that the lots had been over-assessed.

The mayor was authorized to execute and deliver a quit-claim deed to Julian Treviño for certain lots of which he has been the owner for several years, as the original deed from the city to the original owner had been lost or destroyed.

The street and bridge committee recommended the placing of two fire hydrants on Seymour avenue, as petitioned for by M. C. Cardenas and others, as soon as the water company shall have laid a six-inch main on said avenue.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

To Be Held on November 17 for Appointment to Position Inspector of Customs at Laredo, Texas.

Announcement is made by the United States Civil Service Commission that an open competitive examination will be held on November 17 at Corpus Christi, Brownsville and Laredo to secure eligibles from which to make certification to fill a vacancy in the position of inspector of customs in the customs service at Laredo, Texas, which carries a salary of $3 per diem.

This is a first grade or clerical examination and competitors will be examined in spelling, arithmetic, penmanship, report writing, copying and correcting, geography and civil government of the United States. Failure to obtain at least 70 per cent in arithmetic and 65 in report writing disqualifies the applicant for appointment. Five hours will be allowed for the examination.

Intending applicants at Laredo who will take this examination should file their application with the local secretary of the civil service board as soon as possible and give him ample time to arrange for the examination.

For Neat and Accurate Job Work ring up 43.



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JUST as soon as game became scarce enough to make men critical about their rifles, sportsmen in every community got to demanding Remington-UMC

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THIS IS MY 60th BIRTHDAY

REAR ADMIRAL W. F. FULLAM.

Rear Admiral William F. Fullam, U. S. N., commander of the Pacific Reserve fleet, and former superintendent of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, is 60 years old today. Admiral Fullam took the middies through the Canal to the Pacific Coast this summer as his final service for the Academy. Last summer a sensation was created by the Admiral's recommendation that seven midshipmen be dismissed from Annapolis for irregularities in examinations. The board of inquiry sustained two of the dismissals and suggested less severe penalties for the other boys involved. That his discipline recommendations were were not sustained Admiral Fullam attributed to political interference, and the head of the Academy was pleased when he was assigned to fleet duty on the North Pacific. Admiral Fullam was born in Munroe County, N. Y., October 20, 1855. He was graduated from Annapolis at the head of his class. He served on many ships in all parts of the world, and was made head of the ordance department of the naval academy. He wrote several text books on ordnance and gunnery, also a recruits' handybook.

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SCHOOLS ARE IN FINE SHAPE.

County Superintendent Thoroughly Satisfied With Conditions Found in the Rural Schools.

County Superintendent B. Richardson has completed his tour of inspection to the various schools of Webb county and is thoroughly satisfied with the condition in which he found every rural school and the high standard of efficiency maintained by the teachers in all these institutions.

Professor Richardson says that he found each and every school with an increased enrollment compared to last year, and that in every instance the pupils were down to hard and earnest work under able teachers. All the various scounty schools have been supplied with teachers and are now in session.

BRIDGE BONDS ARE SOLD.

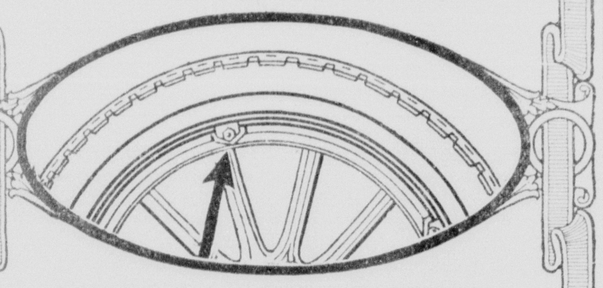
Issue of $15,000 to Build Two Bridges, Bought by J. L. Arlitt of Austin, Texas.

The $15,000 bridge bonds for the construction of two bridges over the Zacate and the Chacon, respectively, were sold this morning to Mr. J. L. Arlitt of Austin. The bonds are for a term of forty years, with the option of redemption at twenty years, and bear five per cent interest.

With the sale of the bonds, the work on the two bridges may now be commenced as soon as the material is on the ground, and it is expected that they will be pushed to a rapid conclusion.

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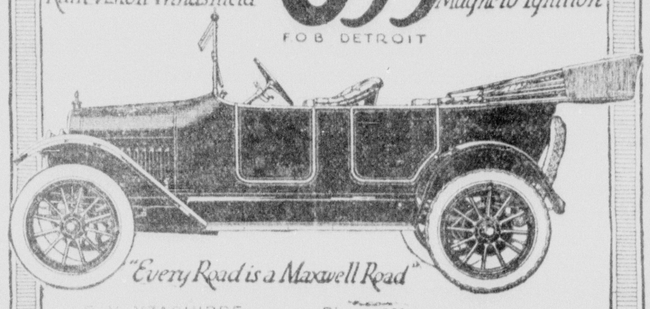
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The 1916 Maxwell is equipped with demountable rims, and has the same size tire on all four wheels. Two vitally important features.

To replace a tire on the road it is only necessary to loosen five bolts; slip off the flat tire; slip on spare rim and tire; tighten three bolts, and proceed.

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LIVED IN LAREDO 82 YEARS AND WAS HONORED CITIZEN

DON FRANCISCO FARIAS PASSED TO GREAT BEYOND LAST NIGHT

Born in Laredo on July 24, 1833, He Was a Man Who Saw Many Vicissitudes and Hardships.

One of the real old pioneers and octogenarians of this city, who was born in Laredo eighty-two years ago and had since made his home hereabouts, closed his eyes in eternal slumber last night at his home, 409 San Bernardo Avenue. The old pioneer who thus passed from this world to the great unknown was Don Francisco Farias, one of Laredo's most highly respected and esteemed citizens.

Francisco Farias was born in Laredo, Texas, on July 24, 1833, and at the time of his demise was over 82 years of age. The subject of this sketch was a little boy of three years of age at the time that Santa Anna and his hosts encamped at Laredo preparatory to their march on San Antonio, where afterwards was fought the battle of the Alamo and other sanguinary battles that occupy honored places in Texas history. Mr. Farias was a resident of this city at the time that General Taylor and his army, after concentrating at Corpus Christi, in 1845, moved on their celebrated march to the City of Mexico. He was a resident of Laredo at the time that civil war resounded throughout the land and two banners were the distinctive standards that Americans followed in a great war that endured for four long years. He was here at the time when the truculent Indians and bold desperadoes infested the Texas frontier in yesteryears and made life a certainty only if the man was possessed of the innate qualities that made a real man and showed the mettle that necessitated nerve in addition to virility. He was here through all the vicissitudes, hardships and privations that were the lot of the Texas frontiersmen in the days of a half century ago—if his life history and his many interesting anecdotes were to be written they would furnish color for a story blending in sentiment, romance and tragedy, for all these were experienced, were seen or came to the lot of the men who were in the land of the Texas of three-quarters of a century ago.

For many years Mr. Farias followed the ranching and stockraising business on two ranches which he owned in this county. In 1862 he was married in Laredo to Miss Francisca Benavides, a sister of General Santos Benavides and also sister of Mrs. J. Z. Leyendecker, Eulalio Benavides and Refugio Benavides. Of this union the following children were born, all of whom were at their father's bedside when he passed away: Cristobal, Fabian, Manuel, Francisco, Jr., and Gonzalo P. Farias; Misses Isabel and Inocente Farias and Mesdames J. M. Ramos and Ramon Gonzales, all residents of Laredo. He also is survived by one sister, Mrs. Y. F. Vidaurri, and two brothers, T. Farias of Piedras Negras, Mexico, and Andres Farias, of Long Beach, California. His wife preceded him to the grave nine years ago. All the relatives have the sincere sympathy of many friends in their bereavement.

For a man of his advanced age Mr. Farias was very active and showed none of the marks of infirmities that generally characterize an octogenarian, as he was always on the go and attending to his business affairs. About ten days ago he was taken ill and confined to his room; last night at 11:30 o'clock he closed his eyes in eternal slumber as his loved ones stood at his bedside. The funeral will take place from San Agustin procathedral tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock.

SMOKER TOMORROW EVENING.

Fireboys Will Enjoy a Spread in Their Hall and All Members Are Invited to Come and Join in.

Announcement is made by the house committee of the Laredo Volunteer Fire Department that the order of business for tomorrow evening in Firemen's Hall for members of the organization will be to "Eat, Drink and Be Merry."

There will be a plenteous supply of good sandwiches, Laredo punch and also a flow of wit and humor, and in general the fireboys and their invited guests will "have a time," as the vernacular of the day puts it. All members of the fire department are urged to be at Firemen's Hall promptly at 8:00 tomorrow night. A keg of nails will be opened and distributed at 8:15.

How to Fight Tuberculosis

In a paper read last year before the Bexar County Medical Society and published in part in the Louisville "Medical Progress," Dr. J. W. Carhart, of San Antonio, Texas, a physician who has devoted much time to the study of tuberculosis, said: "Since lime salts constitute three-fourths of all the mineral substances of the human body, they must be supplied in the foods or supplemented in mineral preparations, or natural starvation ensues with tuberculosis unchecked. The widespread and unchecked spread of tuberculosis and other preventable diseases is due largely to the decalcified (lime lacking) conditions of multitudes throughout the civilized world."

Thus from another authoritative medical source comes justification for the use of lime in the treatment of tuberculosis.

Since this is one of the ingredients of Eckman's Alterative, much of the success attending the widespread use of this remedy doubtless is due to the combination of this salt in such a way as to render it easily assimilable. It causes no stomach disturbance, and since it contains neither opiates, narcotics nor habit-forming drugs, it is safe to try.

Eckman's Alterative has effected remarkable results in numerous cases of pulmonary tuberculosis (consumption) and allied chronic affections of the throat and bronchial passages. In many instances such conditions, apparently, have yielded completely to it.

In case your druggist is out of it, ask him to order, or send direct to us.

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HEIGHTS CIVIC CLUB
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MATINEE AND NIGHT
High Class Vaudeville
PICTURES:
Broadway Star Feature "A STRANGE CASE," in four acts.
"RULE SIXTY-THREE," in two acts.
"HIS BIRTHDAY GIFT," comedy.

THE STRONG OPPOSITION FAILED TO MATERIALIZE

ONLY ONE PROPERTY OWNER IS AVERSE TO ROUTE CHANGE.

And His Plea Was Such That City Council Did Not Become Affected and Report be Made Later.

The supposedly strong opposition that it was expected would develop at the meeting of the city council last night and would have an averse sentiment to the granting of the request of the street railway company for rerouting their track by diverting the line to penetrate the business section of the city, failed to materialize. In fact the opposition was very slight and caused no fear on the part of those in favor to acquiescing to the request by the city council.

Only one opponent to the change of route of the street railway and the proposed improvements appeared, and he submitted a resolution opposing the change, alleging that it would prove detrimental to his property along the proposed new route; that "we" ask the council not to grant the change. Only one signature was signed to the petition and the signer is interested in property that will front on the car line (if changed) for a distance of about 100 feet, and whose value will really be increased, if such is possible, by the cars passing the place. This the city council also probably realized and a committee was appointed to take the matter of the street railway company's request under consideration and make a report on the matter to the next meeting of the city council two weeks hence. The report will in all probability favor the granting of the privileges asked for by the Laredo Electric & Ry. Co.

IS IT "JUST A COLD?"

Laredo People Should Ask Themselves This Question.

Don't say: "It's just a cold."

It may turn into backache, rheumatic aches, achy joints.

Or other serious sickness that comes from weak kidneys.

Colds are due to congestion.

Congestion makes the kidneys overwork to filter the blood.

Colds often leave the kidneys weak.

First break the cold;

Then use Doan's Kidney Pills to avert the kidney dangers.

Let this Laredo resident tell you about them.

W. S. Durborrow, 1717 Hidalgo St., Laredo, says: "I had occasional pains through my back, so that it hurt me to stoop. The trouble, I think, was brought on by catching cold. I couldn't sit in one position for any length of time without great pain. When one of these attacks comes on, I always use Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at the Ideal Drug Store, and they never fail to remove trouble."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Durborrow had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

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DR. SAUVIGNET NOT GUILTY.

Says He is Not Opposed to the Street Car Improvements and Change of Routing; Made No Kick.

With the announcement that he was not opposed to the change of the street car routing and improvements and did not kick at the meeting of the city council, Dr. E. H. Sauvignet handed the Times the following note with a request to publish:

Laredo, Texas, October 20.

Editor Times:—I notices in the morning paper of this city that my name was published as the only one opposing a change in the routing of the street car lines. Not being guilty of opposing such improvement I wish you to publish this denial of that assertion. Respectfully,

E. H. SAUVIGNET.

Cars Will Run to Cemetery.

Beginning Thursday morning, October 21st, the streets cars will run all day to the cemeteries on a regular schedule and continue until after All Souls Day, November 2nd.

Laredo Electric & Railway Co.

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OPENING AVENUES AND STREETS

Force of Men Put to Work in Section About Park Street Clearing Thoroughfares of Superfluous Growth.

A force of men have been put to work by the city clearing off the avenues and streets in the northwestern section of the city about ten blocks north of the Texas-Mexican track, having for its central base what is known as Park street, which is about the center of operations.

These avenues and streets have been neglected by reason of the fact that they existed in name only and only during the past year or more has there existed any necessity for them being actually used for traffic. And now they are to be cleared and put in first-class condition. Property owners having vacant lots in that part of the city will be compelled to clear their property of all brush and weeds and help in the work of making the quarter more desirable for residential purposes.

The May Apple Liver Tonic.

May Apple is an old time liver medicine. Its active principle (Podophyllin) is sometimes called Vegetable Calomel. In Po-Do-Lax May Apple is combined with other well known liver remedies, making Po-Do-Lax the ideal liver medicine. It arouses the liver, increases bile, does not gripe, has no nausea and one feels fine generally. Get a 50c. bottle, take a dose tonight and notice how much better you feel—you cannot afford to get along without Po-Do-Lax. "The Liver Tonic with Vegetable Calomel." 50c.

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From the first flight of the homing pigeon, hundred of years ago, to the day of modern miracles, no agent of man has performed so wonderfully and well for the traveler whose thoughts turn homeward.

That Bell Telephone in your home is always "just at the other end of the wire" within a few minutes reach, wherever you are, always.

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...S IS MY 86th BIRTHDAY

DR. HOMER B. SPRAGUE.

Dr. Homer B. Sprague, prominent American educator and author, is 86 years old today. He is spending the eve of a useful life at his home in Brighton, near Boston. He was born at Sutton, Mass., Oct. 19, a descendant of the early New England settlers. He was class valedictorian at Yale, then studied in the Law School, and was admitted to the bar at Worcester, Mass. He was practicing in Connecticut when the Civil War broke out, and he raised two military companies. He went to the front as a captain and served through the war. He was wounded in Louisiana and was a prisoner of war for six months. Then he became a teacher, and was successful in a political campaign for the Connecticut legislature. He fought for free public schools and opened up the normal schools to poor students. Then he accepted the chair of rhetoric at Cornell. In 1885 he became president of Mills College in California, and two years later became president of the University of North Dakota. While in North Dakota, he was strongly supported for the office of United States senator. He continued active teaching and lecturing until recently. He aided in building up many educational societies, and is a member of many others, including the American Peace Society. Dr. Sprague has written many books, covering educational matters, criticisms and historical subjects.

NEW JERSEY VOTE TODAY IS SUFFRAGE TEST.

Trenton, N. J., Oct. 19.—Will New Jersey figure as the first of the Original Thirteen to give its women the vote? This is the question of the hour in political circles along the Atlantic seaboard. After a great campaign from one end to the other of the state, the suffragists are beaming with confidence today, while voters are registering their decision as to whether women will be given equal franchise.

President Wilson is of course the leading figure in their contest. Just how far his personal influence will be felt is problematical; for, although as its former governor and its former college president, the chief executive is strong with the people of New Jersey, it is believed he has done no more than make the simple announcement of his intention to favor the ladies when he casts his ballot today. On the other hand, the political organizations of all parties are none too strong for the suffrage measure, and it is realized that if they are out in strength to defeat the measure, the chances are very poor for the amendment.

According to the estimates of Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, the women will carry the state today by virtue of the rural vote, the labor vote and a good-sized section of the commuters' vote.

Inasmuch as the New Jersey result will influence the coming elections in New York, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania, where the suffrage issue is up this fall, the suffragists have put their best foot forward in New Jersey. Those in touch with the situation in the other three Atlantic States, declare that if New Jersey gives the vote to the women, the equal suffrage movement will sweep through the East like wildfire. But that is the suffrage view of the case, and the wiseacres of Jersey are doubtful of the outcome of today's test in New Jersey.

Today's election is a special election, at which three constitutional amendments are submitted to the voters. The first is a proposal to give municipal bodies the right of "excess condemnation," the second proposes to permit one amendment to be voted on each year, and the third is the suffrage question.

A Wonderful Antiseptic.

Germs and infection aggravate ailments and retard healing. Stop that infection at once. Kill the germs and get rid of the poisons. For this purpose a single application of Sloan's Liniment not only kills the pain but destroys the germs. This neutralizes infection and gives nature assistance by overcoming congestion and gives a chance for the free and normal flow of the blood. Sloan's Liniment is an emergency doctor and should be kept constantly on hand. 25c., 50c. The $1.00 size contains six times as much as the 25c.

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LITTLE LOCALS

—The importations through this port from Mexico today consisted of one carload of hides—of animals killed some time ago, and long before the amnesty order was put into effect.

—Comedy day at Rex. Six reels of good comedy. (Adv.)

—With experienced mechanics on the job the quality of our work is guaranteed, the price as well. Let us known your needs. Phone 819, Laredo Iron Works. 10-16-6t.

(Adv.)

—Many of those who are planning a decoration of the graves of their loved ones on Nov. 1 and 2 are busy mamking artificial floral designs, these mostly being Mexican people, while the Americans as a rule will place beautiful clusters of natural flowers on the mounds that mark the last resting place of some departed one.

—Teacher of English, Spanish and Gregg Shorthand, evening lessons only. Apply Will W. Gregg. Times office. 10-11-tf.

(Adv.)

—The practice some people have on days when the streets are muddy of halting vehicles or autos right in a path where people must trod or get stuck in a bog is a very bad practice. The pedestrians beat down those hard paths after much skipping and bogging and it belongs to them and not the autoists. "Render unto Caesar what belongs to Caesar" and don't stop on his "paved" path.

—Eastern Hair Dressing Shop, 1210 Lincoln street. Phone 889 for appointment. 9-23-tf.

(Adv.)

—Every user of machinery should look us up, for we repair all classes of machinery, make all kinds of iron and brass castings. Laredo Iron Works, Phone 819. 10-16-6t.

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—There will be an interesting meeting of the city council held in the city hall this evening. If the mayor and city fathers will only put something in their ears when someone starts the agonies of a howl against the change of route of the car line tonight they will turn a deaf ear to something that will be condemned by the live members of the town who take optimistic views of anything that tends for betterment.

—St. Paul Hotel, new management. Rooms with or without private bath. Rates on application. Mrs. J. W. Earnest. Phone 782. 10-2-1m

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—There is Art and Science in WELDING. We succeed where others fail. "There's a Reason" Laredo Iron Works. 10-16-6t.

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—According to reports received by the Times, the rain yesterday forenoon was generally heavy throughout all of Southwest Texas extending from Laredo to the coast on the east and from here to San Antonio and beyond on the north. The moisture extended for quite a distance down into Mexico, too.

—For self starter work see Yeary at the Citizens Garage. 6-25-tf.
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—Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office. 6-5-tf (Adv.)

—Do you desire comfort? Use electric lights and fans.

4-24-tf. (Adv.)

—With a handsome three-story building on the corner of Lincoln street and Flores Avenue and up-to-date street cars whizzing past there every few minutes, what a picture of progress will be painted. Contrast this with the pessimist sitting on the corner and knocking everything that is for the good of the town.

—Moving, moving. Laredo Tansfer. Phone 864. 8-4-tf.

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—If it is neat and accurate job printing that you want send your orders to The Times job department. Expert workmanship and the best of materials. 1-9-tf.

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—Laredo Transfer. Phone 864. 8-4-tf.

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Toned Up Whole System.

"Chamberlain's Tablets have done more for me than I ever dared hope for," writes Mrs. Esther Mae Baker, Spencerport, N. Y. "I used several bottles of these tablets a few months ago. They not only cured me of bilious attacks, sick headaches and that tired out feeling, but toned up my whole system." For sale by all dealers.

(Adv.)

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

OCTOBER 19.

1630—First General Court in America held at Boston.

1781—Cornwallis surrendered at Yorktown. Over 7,000 soldiers, the military chest, a frigate, a number of transports and the public stores, with 1,500 seamen fell into the hands of Washington.

1813—Final day of the Battle of Leipsic; Napoleon retreated, but found the bridges blown up. The French emperor lost over 200,000 men in this and previous battles of the campaign.

1848—Mormon temple at Nauvoo, Ill., destroyed by an incendiary.

1850—First national convention of Woman's Suffrage Party met at Worcester, Mass.

1904—President Roosevelt sent Taft to Panama to reassure the people of the pacific intentions of the United States.

1908—Japan extended an enthusiastic welcome to the American battleship fleet on its tour around the world.

1914—American marines landed at Cape Haytien, Haiti, to maintain order after the port was seized by revolutionists.

1914—THE WAR:
Allies make gains in Belgium, advancing to Roulers.
Belgian army repulses German at the Yser river.
Austrian submarine sunk by French cruiser in the Mediterranean.
Turkey declines to discharge German crews of her cruisers.
Russians engage the Germans near Warsaw; big battle in progress.

TO TRY PREACHER FOR ARSON.

Newark, N. J., Oct. 19—Rev. Louis R. Patmont, who has figured in a divorce and alleged kidnapping in the West during the past year, will be called to trial here tomorrow for arson. He is charged with having set the fire which burned the Polish Christian Church in this city in 1913, while he was pastor here. In November last Patmont obtained a divorce in Portage County, Wisconsin. His wife was a Newark woman. She claimed to have no knowledge of the divorce preceedings until after the case was decided. Patmont secured custody of their two children, Ruth and Louis.

Revenge for his divorce tactics is said to have prompted the preacher's wife to give the authorities the information on which he was arrested for arson. Patmont was pastor of the Polish Christian Church here for some time previous to the fire. The blaze was of suspicious origin, and later the authorities received information to the effect that it had been purposely burned for the insurance. The former minister was accused with planning the crime and was held in $1,500 bail. Patmont has been living in the West, and his parents are said to be living in Milwaukee.

Some time ago Patmont figured as the victim of a "kidnapping" case that never cleared up. The alleged kidnapping was said to have occurred at Westville, Ill., whence Patmont claimed he was taken in a red automobile to Columbia, Ill., where he was found. The Illinois authorities could find no evidence of the alleged kidnapping sufficient to justify arrests. Later Patmont disappeared mysteriously from Detroit, and was found a month afterward in Wisconsin. He said he had been warned to get out of Detroit under threat of being killed.

On information supplied by Patmont's divorced wife, an indictment was returned against him last January, charging Patmont with conspiracy to burn the Newark church.

Send In Your Old Rags.

Wash all the old rags you have about the house and bring them to The Times office and turn them into money. We pay three cents per pound for clean soft rags. 10-4-tf

PERSONALS

W. S. Evill of the Prudential Life Insurance Co. of San Antonio, is in the city and is stopping at the Hamilton.

Henry Edds of Hebbronville arrived in the city yesterday and left this morning for home. Mr. Edds missed the train this morning, so left in an automobile.

HAMILTON:—H. H. Deane, New York; Wm. J. Hilger, San Antonio; L. Haynes, Ranch; E. West, Bebbronville; F. D. Rose, A. Carranza and family, J. M. Young, H. Dentsch, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Murphy, Miss Grace Murphy, Monterey; C. Brueggerhoff, F. Brandt, W. S. Evill, San Antonio.

ROSS:—Miguel Capaarros, Tampico; J. F. Dubose, Dubose; A. Fentanes, San Antonio; Pedro Ruiz Lavin, El Paso; A. F. Farin, Nogales, Ariz.; L. Montes de Oca and family, C. Icasa de Parta and family, Mexico City; Ike Freed, R. S. Sacks, Houston; Y. G. Renduches, El Paso; C. Flores, San Antonio.

BENDER:—B. H. Zubar, St. Louis, Mo.; W. H. Smith, Chicago, Ill.; E. M. Mercer, E. D. DuBose, Leslie Payne, M. J. Gorden, San Antonio; L. A. Morrow, Islitas; William M. Brown, F. J. Levin, Dallas; L. P. Walker, Austin; R. W. Morrison, St. Louis, Mo.; T. W. Marwell, Galveston; J. C. Lewis, St. Louis, Mo.; A. A. Sanner, E. M. Lewis, San Antonio.

SOME NEW SAFETY FIRST IDEAS.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 19.—The convention of the Safety First Federation of America, which meets here today, will consider an interesting report of the Transportation committee, outlining its ideas of the policies and activities for the year. Here are some of the suggestions:

The near-side stop for street cars, with the recommendation that the committee encourage municipal ordinances to effect same.

Suitable regulations for the operation of jitney buses, under municipal and state laws.

Designation of safety zones and cross walks for the use of pedestrians.

Educating the public to cross the street at the regular crossings, and urging the centralization of authority with the Police Departments for directing pedestrian travel.

The exclusive use of siren whistles on police and fire vehicles.

A standard form for reporting accidents by municipalities.

The elimination of glaring head and side lights upon motor vehicles, in populated districts.

Steps on all horse-drawn vehicles and on motor trucks to be eliminated.

The standardization of hand signals by traffic officers.

A nation-wide educational campaign relative to the dangers at grade crossings and trespassing on railroad property.

One on Harvard.

Nick Longworth tells this one on himself:

"When I was traveling in China I met a very delightful Chinese man who seemed to know something of America, and as we chatted he asked me:

"'What was your college?'

"'Harvard,' said I proudly.

"'Ever interested in rowing in your day?' he inquired.

"'Quite a bit,' I replied.

"'What's the length of the Harvard slide now?' he wanted to know, and something of the boat. So we talked of oarsmanship and watermen, and at that I asked:

"'When you were in America were you ever at New London for the races?'

"'Oh, yes,' he said softly, 'for three years.'

"'Then you've seen Harvard row?' I offered.

"'No, never saw her,' he almost lisped.

"'You were at New London for three years and never saw Harvard row? How could that be?'

"'I was cox'un in the Yale boat, and Harvard was so far behind each year that I never saw her row.'"

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MEXICAN BANDITS HELD UP TEXAS TRAIN AND KILLED TWO MEN AND INJURED OTHERS

Boldest Hold Up for Years in the Southwest was That by Mexicans Claiming to Belong to De la Rosa's Band of Outlaws Within Seven Miles of Brownsville, Killing American Soldier.

By Associated Press.

Brownsville, Texas, Oct. 19.—One of the most daring and bloodiest train robberies of the Southwest was staged last night at Olmitos, seven miles north of here, when twenty Mexicans, claiming to be followers of Luis de la Rosa, the bandit leader, held up the southbound St. Louis, Brownsville and Mexico train and as a result two are dead, four wounded and one dying.

The train was moving at a fast rate, making up lost time. The bandits effected the stopping of the train by loosening one rail and jerking it aside with a heavy wire from cover of the brush. As the train reached that point the engine and the baggage, mail and express cars jumped the track.

The robbery was conducted by five or six Mexicans clad in khaki uniforms. Outside some fifteen Mexicans kept up a constant firing, apparently over the cars.

The alarm was given by a discharged United States soldier, who ran three miles to give the alarm. Being but three miles from the Rio Grande, the robbers were afforded an easy escape. Three troops of cavalry and two companies of infantry rushed in pursuit.

One United States soldier was killed and his shoes removed by the bandits. Not a great deal of money was taken, although one man claimed losing $280, after concealing $90 under the seat.

When the Mexicans entered the train they stared firing at three soldiers in the front portion of the smoking car. One of them was killed. The engineer was killed under the engine and two soldiers are among the wounded. The others escaped injury by hiding under seats and in the compartments.

The bandits were nervous on entering the car, but seeing how badly frightened the passengers were they became encouraged and shouted: "Viva Carranza," "Viva Pizaña." Pizaña is co-leader of the bandits with De la Rosa.

It was said that some of the bandits were barefooted. These are believed to be Huisachito Indians, serving in General Lopez's Matamoros garrison. One of the wounded men claimed that he saw Luis de la Rosa among the bandits.

HOSTILITIES NOW AMOUNT TO LITTLE

GERMANS CLAIM CAPTURE OF AN IMPORTANT SERBIAN TOWN SOUTH OF BELGRADE.

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 19.—Three German attacks with hand grenades last night northeast of Souchez were completely repulsed by the French, says an official report. The Austro-Germans occupying Belgrade appear to have advanced more than 15 miles south of the city, but the outcome of the Bulgarian-Serbian fighting along the Nish railway is not known. A group of French aviators October 17 bombarded the German aviation field at Burlincourt, and the hangars were demolished. Athens denies that the Nish railway has been cut, as it is expected that a train will arrive with the first wounded French soldiers in the Bulgarian engagements. Gen. Mackensen, in charge of the Serbian invasion, is reported to have notified the authorities that he could not accomplish the task unless he received heavy reinforcements immediately.

Germans Captured Town.

Berlin, Oct. 19.—The Austro-German armies invading Servia captured an important town south of Belgrade on the Danube. The war office says the Bulgarians made an important capture.

Sank German Steamers.

Stockholm, Oct. 19.—Two German steamers were sunk last night by a British submarine in the Baltic. One sank and the other was kept afloat by a cargo of lumber.

Russian Contracts in America.

New York, Oct. 19.—The Russian government awarded war contracts totaling $57,000,000 in this country, it was announced today. The contracts include a one-man machine gun, an American invention.

To Reinforce Balkans.

London, Oct. 19.—The decision of the Entente powers to send large reinforcements to the Balkan front was indicated in an Athens despatch today. The decision is said to have been communicated to the Greek government.

Premier Asquith Ill.

London, Oct. 19.—Premier Asquith has suddenly become ill. His state of health will require his withdrawal from public activities for a few days.

Declares War on Bulgaria.

Rome, Oct. 19.—Italy has declared war on Bulgaria, according to an announcement by the Stefani news agency.

BUFFALO BILL HITS TRAIL FOR WILD GAME.

Cody, Wyo., Oct. 19—A unique hunting party, headed by Buffalo Bill, the famous old scout and showman, will live here tomorrow for a great hunt in the wilds of this state. Col. Cody will be accompanied by many famous hunters, and the party will be three weeks on the trail. It is said that this trip marks the last trip of the veteran hunter and scout into his beloved mountains. He will be seventy years old in February next, and has led an interesting and active life for over a half century.

Health and Happiness Depend Upon Your Liver.

That sluggish liver with its sluggish flow of bile is what makes the world look so dark at times. Dr. King's New Life Pills go straight to the roof of the difficulty by waking up the action of the liver and increasing the bile. Dr. King's New Life Pills cause the bowels to act more freely and drive away those "moody days." 25c. a bottle.

(Adv.)

RECOGNITION MADE IN FORMAL MANNER

ARGENTINE LETTER WAS FIRST TO ARREDONDO, AND THE UNITED STATES THEN FOLLOWED.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The Argentine gave Eliseo Arredondo, Carranza's representative, the first letter of recognition of the Carranza government today. The United States letter soon followed, making the recognition formal.

TAGGART'S CASE DISMISSED.

By Associated Press.

Indianapolis, Ind., Oct. 19.—The case against Thomas Taggart, Democratic National committeeman from Indiaina, charged with election conspiracy, was dismissed today on motion of the federal prosecutor. The cases of Mayor Bell and more than a hundred defendants indicted with Taggart were continued until December 1.

SIX KILLED IN COLLISION.

By Associated Press.

Oklahoma City, Oct. 19.—Six are dead and two were fatally injured and eight others hurt as a result of a head-on collision on the Rock Island railroad early this morning twelve miles from Chickasha.

MISSOURI BAPTISTS MEET.

Trenton, Mo., Oct. 19.—The general association of the Missouri Baptists met here today, with a thousand delegates attending. Four days will be given up to speaking and organization, and a new constitution will be considered.

TO AUCTION LINCOLN RELICS.

New York, Oct. 19—The largest collection of printed material about Abraham Lincoln ever offered for sale was put on exhibition today at the Anderson Galleries. It is part 1 of the library of John E. Burton of Milwaukee, and will be sold on the afternoon of October 25 to 29. There are in the collection nearly all the biographies of Lincoln, several in foreign languages; hundreds of sermons, eulogies, and memorial addresses, some of which are unknown bibliographers; many portraits, relics and medals, and a great quantity of miscellaneus matter. The only known copy of the pamphlet "Reasons Against the Recognition of Abraham Lincoln" is among them. Lincoln's last order for a pardon and a copy of the Emancipation Proclamation, signed by Lincoln and Seward, are other desirable items. In a letter by Mrs. Lincoln she denies a report that she was to marry again. Other relics are a lock of his hair, a gold watch key and cane and umbrella handles owned by him; an inkstand used in his Springfield office; part of the coat he was wearing when shot; a gold ring of his with a secret compartment containing a look of hair. There is also in the collection the Lincoln-Brooner rifle owned jointly by Lincoln and Henry Brooner, and used by them in their hunting excursions until 1830.

ELECTRIC AUTO MEN MEET.

Cleveland, O., Oct. 18—The sixth annual convention of the Electric Vehicles Assn., which opened here today, has brought together the leading builders of the electric motor cars. The convention got down to serious business right at the start, and there are many matters of importance to discuss today and tomorrow.

CLENDENIG TO FIGHT.

Columbus, O., Oct. 19—Former Attorney-General Hogan has been retained to defend Byron M. Clendening, Democratic member of the State Liquor Licensing Board, to fight the charges filed by Governor Frank B. Willis, which will come up for hearing tomorrow. Clendening will fight any attempt to remove him, and says he will carry the fight into the courts if necessary.

CELEBRATE 25th ANNIVERSARY OF BARACA-PHILATEA.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 19—Ten thousand Baraca-Philatea classes in the United States will begin tomorrow the celebration of the 25th anniversary of the first Baraca classes in the United States. The first class was organized in this city on October 20, 1890, by Marshall A. Hudson, who now heads the entire organization. The Baraca classes, with its sister organization, the Philatheas, is said to be the largest Sunday school organization in the United States, having over a million members. The anniversary exercises will come to an end on Sunday next, when special devotional exercises will take place in the various churches throughout the country.

NOW HE'S INSIDE LOOKING OUT.

San Francisco, Oct. 18.—Gus Gilfether, former superintendent of the county jail, is spending a thirty-day vacation in the cells he once ruled. Instead of looking in on his charges, he is now looking out at the guards that pace before his sanctum. Gus failed to heed the court's advice to keep away from his wife, and he was sent up for threatening her life.

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FAILURE OF SUBMARINES.

Some time ago it was widely announced that we might as well relegate our great warships to the scrap heap, for the German submarines had demonstrated that the most formidable ship afloat might be sent to the bottom by one of the little sea vipers. The difference in cost of the two classes of vessels led many to believe that the greatest number of vessels in the new navy would be submarines.

But now all this is changed. The British navy has demonsirated that the submarines are only available against an enemy that is not guarded by vigilance, and the new undersea telephone system that gives warning of the approach of a submarine, as well as the great steel nets that prevent their nearing a vessel have done away with the menace that was so obvious a few months ago.

In fact, it is a question whether the submarines have played any important part in this present war aside from sinking defenseless merchant vessels, and there have been several occasions on which an unarmed vessel has rammed and sunk a submarine, the shell of which offers little resistance to a blow from outside.

The new naval program includes a number of submarines, but not to the extent that was anticipated by those who had become convinced that a navy of submarines could whip the greatest battleships afloat.

The invention and development of the naval torpedo did not prevent the building of great battleships, and the submarine is only a development of the torpedo fighting. In fact, the submarine is absolutely useless without her torpedoes, and when she has fired her entire stock of the little destroyers she must return to a supply depot either on land or afloat, to re-equip herself.

Every warship of modern times carries a supply of torpedoes, and is equipped with torpedo tubes for launching the deadly missiles. Even the greatest dreadnaught is not complete without her quota of torpedoes, so that the submarine is not the only vessel that can fight with the self-propelling engines of destruction.

But the vessel that is armored to withstand a heavy shell fire; that carries guns of great penetration and extreme range; that can fight in the open as well as by the sneaking methods of the torpedo fire, is the one that will give an account of herself in a real naval battle.

That the present war has given us to witness few real naval engagements is due to the caution of the German naval commanders. They felt their inferiority to the British warships, and they have preferred to fight against the merchant vessels rather than to face the stings of the armored and armed men-of-war.

Some of the British vessels have gone to the bottom in an open sea engagement, and few of the German warships have been sunk, mainly for the reason that they have not risked their ships as a whole very far from the safety of the Kiel canal.

There have been many improvements in naval construction and armament since the Russo-Japanese war, and the great naval commanders of all nations have looked forward to the engagements which were expected and in which it was expected that the new improvements would be tested out.

Our vessels are equal to any now afloat. In case of a war with any country save Great Britain, we should be on equal terms afloat, as the work of the German navy has been disappointing to its friends.

The plan to increase our submarines to 170 within the five-year period for which the program has been approved does not mean that we are to depend too heavily on the little under water destroyers, but the plan to increase our dreadnaughts and battleships indicates that we are to depend as much as ever on the heaviest weight of armor and guns for our superiority to the enemy.

CROOKED POLICE.

There seems to be something about a big city that corrupts the people living in it. After an acquaintance of several years with graft and corruption, the average city dweller looks upon it from the standpoint of whether it pays or not

The latest example is the alleged graft among the police of Chicago, who are accused of murdering a crooked jeweler, who acted as a "fence" for thieves, paying the police for "protection."

A brother of the jeweler, who was also a "fence," was tried and convicted a week ago, and sentenced to the penitentiary Harry Phillips, the one who was murdered, is said to have gone to the district attorney and told of paying graft money to the police, a fact which was known to the police officials. Then Phillips was killed.

Before he met with his death Phillips made an affidavit in which he told of police persecutions which extended over a two-year period, and of how his life had been threatened if he "squealed." Phillips' brother Elick had been arrested, and it was feared that Harry would "squeal" unless Elick freed.

The case is very similar to that in New York where crooks of all kinds were granted immunity from arrest and punishment upon payment of money, and probably it will be found that the "gunmen" of Chicago were used to terrorize and to punish for failure to keep up the graft.

For years it has been charged that the gamblers and other crooks of Chicago were banded together with the higher police officials in an effort to defeat justice. Investigations proved futile because of the influence of the men "higher up."

The present case has gone too far to be hushed up. There are men in Chicago, as well as in all other great cities, who are determined to investigate all charges of corruption and to punish the guilty. And when any case goes as far as the open charges in the public prints, it is difficult to explain why it was withdrawn.

The politics of all large cities is corcupt. That has been proved many times. The gamblers, the saloon keepers, the dive keepers, the thugs and all other classes of people who make a living through or by crime, band together for mutual protection, and as a great deal of their money is "velvet," they can afford to pay highly for police protection, which is merely the euphemism for police corruption.

When a police officer accepts money for closing his eyes to crime and corruption, he becomes worse than the out and out criminal. For the criminal is under no obligations to organized society. His living is made by crimes against society, while the policeman is paid for protecting society against the criminal.

It is safe to say that millions are paid annually for the privilege of committing crimes in cities like New York and Chicago. Murders are committed boldly, for the possession of sufficient money always secures the dismissal of the case and the freedom of the murderer.

This is why in most places there is such a lack of credence given to police testimony. The honest policemen cannot remain on the force unless he is, passively, at least, on the side of the criminals. And in many cases he accepts money to become active on their side.

Many an alibi has been proven (?) by the sworn testimony of the police who were paid to protect the people against the very criminals who were on trial. And many an innocent man has been "framed up" by the police who were enraged at his refusal to "come across" with a sum of money for their "protection."

It is to be hoped that the present case will result in ferreting out the men who were responsible for the killing of the Chicago jeweler. He may have been a worthless member of society; he may not be worth the indignation of the people aroused by his murder; but the principle which caused his killing is one that is an open menace to the welfare of the people.

Berlin crows over the advance of the Teutons into Serbia, and Bulgaria announces that the war will soon end, while the allies contentedly announce that the Austro-German armies have made little advance and have gained no results worth mentioning. Good thing they are both satisfied.

Villa was reported killed by his own men, but Calles says he is reliably informed that Villa is on his way to Sonora. That's another place that seems to be a long way off, for he has been going there for the past month or more.

KILLED BY AN AUSTRIAN SHELL



These two Italians made a heroic attempt to cut the wire entanglements in front of an Austrian trench, but were hit and killed by a shell.

THIS IS MY 71st BIRTHDAY

DR. HARVEY W. WILEY.

Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, pure food expert, who woke the American people up to the dangers of adulteration in food and drugs, and led the campaign for clean food and clean drugs, is 71 years old today. For thirty years he served as chief chemist in the Department of Agriculture, and he rendered the public a great service by his exposes of adulterations and substitutions in food. He had many enemies among the food barons, but he endeared himself to the American people. The campaign which he began is being carried on in all sections of the country, and trained chemists are protecting the consumers from the frauds of the food makers. Dr. Wiley was born at Kent, Indiana, on Oct. 18, 1844. He was educated at Hanover College and Indiana Medical College, and at Harvard. He took up teaching in 1868, and followed that calling in Indiana colleges until 1883, when he was appointed chief chemist in the U. S. Department of Agriculture. He has represented the United States in various world conventions on pure drugs and pure food, and is a member of many foreign scientific societies, as well as American learned societies. He wrote many scientific papers, and several books, in his campaign for clean food. Dr. Wiley was married in 1911 to Miss Anna Campbell Kelton, and they have a baby who is being brought up under Dr. Wiley's hygienic conditions. Dr. Wiley is still writing and experimenting, although he left the government service three years ago.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

OCTOBER 18.

1775—Continental Congress adopted the Pine Tree Flag.

1783—American army was disbanded by proclamation.

1811—The ladies of Cadiz formed a society to supply the wants of the Spanish soldiers.

1812—American sloop Wasp captured British sloop Frolic; same day, the British ship Poictiers captured them both.

1814—Union of Norway and Sweden, by treaty of Kiel.

1840—Body of Bonaparte was exhumed at St. Helena, to be conveyed to Paris. His remains were in complete state of preservation.

1876—University of Oregon was opened to students.

1898—The German emperor and empress arrived at Constantinople on their way to the Holy Land.

1913—Emmeline Pankhurst arrived in America on suffrage speaking tour.

1914—THE WAR:
Allies check German advance on Dunkirk, holding the line from Nieuport to Dixmude.
Japanese cruiser Takachiho mined in Kiauchau Bay by the German defenders.
Germans bring up big guns for attack on Warsaw.
British submarine E-3 sunk by mine in the North Sea.

Notice to Tax-Payers.

My office in the court house building is now open for the collection of State and County taxes for the year 1915. Office hours: 9 a. m. to 12 m. and 2 to 5 p. m.

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10-11-20t. (Adv.)

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Laredo People Should Ask Themselves This Question.

Don't say: "It's just a cold."
It may turn into backache, rheumatic aches, achy joints.
Or other serious sickness that comes from weak kidneys.
Colds are due to congestion.
Congestion makes the kidneys overwork to filter the blood.
Colds often leave the kidneys weak.
First break the cold;
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MATINEE AND NIGHT!

MONUMENT TO THE BLUE AND THE GRAY.

Fitzgerald, Ga., Oct. 18—Plans are under way for the erection here of the only monument jointly commemorating the Blue and the Gray. A design for the "Peace Memorial" has been completed and accepted, and before long it will be unveiled in the presence of the surviving leaders of the Confederate and Union armies.

The memorial will be fifty feet square at the base. Four flights of steps, symbolizing the four years of war, will lead from the street level to a wide plaza extending completely around the monument. At each corner of this plaza will be a large bronze electrolier bearing four electric lights. Each entrance will be guarded by two large seated lions.

Each of the four faces of the memorial will have an entrance, eight feet wide and ten feet in height, leading into the memorial room, which will occupy all of the interior of the monument. This room will be round, with a domed ceiling rising 25 feet above the floor, and supported in the center by an immense polished column.

On two opposite sides of the room, set into the walls, will be bronze and plate glass cases to contain war relics. On the two other sides will be niches to contain life size marble statues of Abraham Lincoln and Jefferson Davis. The ceiling will be ornamented with art tile showing the emblems of the Grand Army of the Republic the United Confederate Veterans, the Women's Relief Corps and the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

This memorial room will be lighted by the reflected lighting method, and will be very beautiful, especially at night. Over each entrance will be a large window of leaded glass showing the emblems of the armies of the North and the South.

Over the memorial room, 30 feet above the street level, on each corner, will be a huge eagle with wings outstreched over the American shield. These will be carved in granite. Between these carved eagles, on each face of the monument, and resting on the cap, will stand immense groups of bronze statuary.

On the north side will be a group showing Generals Grant and Lee clasping hands, while the spirit of peace, with arms outstreched, brings them together. On the south side will be two soldiers, one a Confederate and one a Federal, supporting the American flag. On the East side will be a female group, representing prosperity, and on the west side a standing figure of a woman pointing out a kneeling soldier the progress and opportunity awaiting him.

The monument rises in a simple dome to a plinth, on which rest four colums, three feet in diameter and 20 feet in height. Each column represents a section of the country—North, South, East and West. Bound together by an upper cap symbolizing the unity of the country in Peace, and capped further by a headed and banded molding, the entire monument is completed by an 18-foot statue of Peace, holding aloft the plan of Victory and extending downward the wreath of olives.

Fitzgerald is one of the unique towns of the South. It was planned and built by northern war veterans, and the population intermarried and the sectional feelings were obliterated many years ago. This being the spot where Jefferson Davis was captured after the flight from Richmond, Fitzgerald people subscribed heavily to the fund for the monument, and the town and county officials also appropriated money for the memorial. Many contributions have come from the North as well as the South, and the monument will be a national affair in every way.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Texas Mexican.

Leaves for Corpus Christi at 8:20 a. m.

Arrives from Corpus Christi at 3:55 p. m. Standard time.

International & Great Northern.

Through fast train for St. Louis leaves at 1 and arrives at 1:50 p. m.

I. & G. N. Night Train.

Leaves at 8 p. m. and arrives at 7:15 a. m.

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LITTLE LOCALS

—News from Saltillo and Monterey was to the effect that First Chief Venustiano Carranza was given great ovations by the people of those places and great masses of humanity assembled and acclaimed sonorous vivas for the man who is soon to be recognized as de facto president of poor old Mexico.

—There is Art and Science in WELDING. We succeed where others fail. "There's a Reason" Laredo Iron Works. 10-16-6t.

(Adv.)

—All the performances at the two motion picture shows, the Rex and Strand, were witnessed by capacity houses last night and some good pictures constituted the program. The usual Sunday crowd was out in full force last night, and those that didn't go to the shows promenaded about the plazas.

—Teacher of English, Spanish and Gregg Shorthand, evening lessons only. Apply Will W. Gregg, Times office. 10-11-tf.

(Adv.)

—Professor Fred W. Malley, who has been employed as agricultural demonstration for Webb county, is making his headquarters temporarily at least at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. With a real agricultural expert to assist them in their work, Laredo and Webb county farmers should soon be conducting the business along purely scientific lines.

—With experienced mechanics on the job the quality of our work is guaranteed, the price as well. Let us known your needs. Phone 819, Laredo Iron Works. 10-16-6t

(Adv.)

—There was no music on Martin Plaza last night, notice having been given a few days previous by the Banda Social that there would be no concert there. But, notwithstanding the absence of music, the drill of the people about the walks continued unabated from just about dusk until nearly midnight.

—Eastern Hair Dressing Shop, 1210 Lincoln street. Phone 889 for appointment. 9-23-tf.

(Adv.)

—Mrs. Wm. Simpson is building two handsome rent cottages on Washington street. They are a story and half and each have seven rooms and will be very desirable places to live. One is very nearly completed and the work on the other is being pushed, so that it too will be completed before long.

—Every user of machinery should look us up, for we repair all classes of machinery, make all kinds of iron and brass castings. Laredo Iron Works, Phone 819. 10-16-6t.

(Adv.)

—St. Paul Hotel, new management. Rooms with or without private bath. Rates on application. Mrs. J. W. Earnest. Phone 782. 10-2-1m

(Adv.)

—The Border Foundry Co. has disposed of its foundry business on the Heights near the old cotton gin to Messrs. E. Denike, W. H. Mims and Con Mims, who will in future conduct the business.

—For self starter work see Yeary at the Citizens Garage. 6-25-tf.

Adv.)

—Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office. 6-5-tf (Adv.)

—The following marriage license has been issued by the county clerk since last report: Juan de Dios Davila and Maria de Jesus de la Garza.

—The importations through this port today from Mexico consisted of four carloads of hides and one carload of lead ore.

—Do you desire comfort? Use electric lights and fans.

4-24-tf. (Adv.)

—Moving, moving. Laredo Tansfer, Phone 864. 8-4-tf.

(Adv.)

—Yesterday morning on the Caliche diamond Florencio Reydon, the deaf mute pitcher, twirled his team by a score of 17 to 10. There was little room left on the scoreboard when the game was finally ended.

—If it is neat and accurate job printing that you want send your orders to The Times Job department. Expert workmanship and the best of materials. 1-9-tf.

(Adv.)

—Laredo Transfer. Phone 864. 8-4-tf.

(Adv.)

Circus Convenience.

As a special convenience for those who desire either general admission or reserved seat tickets to the Sells-Floto Circus and Buffalo Bill's Original Wild West, which is coming here for a day's engagement Monday, November 1, arrangements have been made whereby a special representative will be present from 9 o'clock in the morning of circus day until 5 o'clock in the afternoon at City Drug Store. There reserved seat and general admission tickets may be obtained at the same prices as charged at the ticket wagon on the grounds.

Buying Cheap Peace
Is Like
Stopping a Clock,
To Save Time.

If you expect any real medicinal dependability for strength and purity, get a good brand of

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We sell Parke, Davis & Co.'s, none better made.

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Fresh from Bustamante, with or without shell.

Hot roasted peanuts at all hourss. Also salted peanuts and pop corn.

"Tom Watson" watermelon seed for sale

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CRAZY MINERAL WATER

For general use, for constipation, stomach troubles, kidney and liver complaints, rheumatism, malarial troubles, bright disease, beneficial for female complaints and tones up the entire system. It has a soothing sleep-producing effect and is recommended for nervous troubles.

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A full line of latest style Ladies' Shoes in the famous QUEEN QUALITY.

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Watch THE TIMES everyday for opportunities. 50c. per month.

Monday's Daily.

...NG WITH THE MAIL ...ER TAKING IT FROM BOX

...TRACTED LETTERS OF LAREDO NATIONAL BANK FROM BOX

Found They Contained Checks, Young Man Got Frightened and Hid All of Them in Attic and Later Arrested.

Charged with removing from the lock box of the Laredo National Bank in the postoffice several letters, and later tampering with the mail by taking therefrom several checks made payable to the bank, Willie Stone, employed as a motion picture operator in this city, was arrested Sunday afternoon by Deputy United States Marshall Allen Walker and this morning was given an examining trial before U. S. Commissioner Foster and bound over to the next federal grand jury in the sum of $200.

After his arrest the young man admitted he had committed the crime with which he was charged. He stated that the lockbox of the Laredo National Bank at the postoffice had been left unlocked and that he had extracted several letters therefrom. Some of the envelopes, about three in number, were opened and all were found to contain checks made payable to the bank; young Stone did not attempt to cash them, but hid them away in the attic of the place where he is employed. The letters were found by a fellow worker and the matter was reported to the deputy United States marshal, who immediately placed the young man under arrest. Stone claims he intended no harm, but merely removed the letters and after opening three of them and finding checks inside he became frightened and hid them all in a place where he thought they were safe.

Cars Will Run to Cemetery.

Beginning Thursday morning, October 21st, the streets cars will run all day to the cemeteries on a regular schedule and continue until after All Souls Day, November 2nd.

Laredo Electric & Railway Co.

10-18-3t. (Adv.)

GAME WAS INTERESTING ONE

But One-Sided Score Was Caused By Meitzen, Twirling For Locals, Having Game All His Way.

With the intention of making it a little game spiced with that most deplorable of happenings to ball players, a slugfest, the soldier boys yesterday, afternoon romped out onto the Caliche diamond to meet nine invincible Laredos and administer them and their imported pitcher, Mytee Meitzen, a drubbing that they would long remember. It was to have been retaliation for what the locals had previously administered the soldiers in the way of a bad drubbing, but their plan yesterday aborted and they had the tables turned on them.

The Laredos used Meitzen, the elongated, swift pillet tosser from Encinal, who on a previous occasion came down to this hamlet from the metropolis of Encinal, and fed up a feast of crow to the same Laredo bunch with whom he was aligned yesterday. When the score was finally chalked up and corrected and deductions made it told the grimy story, "Laredo, 10; Soldiers, 3."

LADIES HAD NARROW ESCAPE.

Horse Stepped Into Deep Hole in Street, While There Was No Signal Displayed That Street Closed.

Saturday afternoon while Mrs. Sielski and her daughter, Mrs. Violet Oberfeldt, were driving along Iturbide street in their buggy they had a narrow escape from a very serious accident, and all because there was no signal in the street that there was a deep place in the road due to an excavation to work on the water pipe.

The ladies drove up to the place and noticed some water in the street, but believed it was only caused from a leak in the main. As the horse attached to the buggy struck the opening he fell into the hole up to his hind thighs. There he halted and was later pulled out, though the old horse may never again be used for a buggy. Somebody is to blame for an accident of this kind—no signal displayed that the street was closed to traffic.

Why Not Publish It?

When you want a fact to become generally known, the right way is to publish it. Mrs. Joseph Kallans, Peru, Ind., was troubled with belching, sour stomach and frequent headaches. She writes, "I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me. They have helped my digestion and regulated my bowels. Since using them I have been entirely well." For sale by all dealers.

(Adv.)

CHANGING OF TRACK ROUTE ENGENDERED OPPOSITION

THIS WAS ANTICIPATED WHEN PROPOSITION ANNOUNCED.

However, Street Railway Company is Merely Asking Approval of City Council to Their Plans.

Tomorrow evening an important meeting of the city council will be held and several matters of vital importance to the city of Laredo will come up for consideration, one of these being the granting by the council to the Laredo Electric & Ry. Co. the permission requested to divert their track from its present route so that the Market street line would converge on a more desirable sectioin of the city and thereby easily penetrate the business section by operating a line along Lincoln street and also Flores Avenue, the latter for a distance of two blocks only.

But the expected opposition to this progressive move on the part of the traction company has come to the surface and the socialistic howl that characterizes the socialist party is now heard from one or two property owners along the route and they will be at the council tomorrow night with their little hammer opposing any change the routing of the car line. But what effect this will have remains to be seen, for in reality the franchise granted the street railway company gives them the right to place tracks on any street or avenue of the city without requesting any permission from any property owner, except that in this instance they are going to change the car route, but first they want to submit their plans to the city council and have that body sanction the change.

After the change is definitely decided on and the street railway people begin work, they will have their new cars en route here and the work of getting everything in shape preparatory to laying the track, etc., on Farragut, Flores and Lincoln, the three thoroughfares to be used, will be started. The operations will be pushed forward as rapidly as possible.

Neuralgia of the face, shoulder, hands, or feet requires a powerful remedy that will penetrate the flesh. BALLARD'S SNOW LINIMENT possesses that power. Rubbed in where the pain is felt is all that is necessary to relieve suffering and restore normal conditions. Price 25c, 50c and $1.00 per bottle. Sold by all druggists. x

(Adv.)

New Dental Firm.

Drs. Hiatt & McCulloch is the name of the new firm doing business in Dr. Hiatt's offices in the Wilcox Block. Dr. McCulloch will be found at the offices during business hours.

10-13-6t.

(Adv.)

ANXIOUSLY AWAITING SHOW.

The Sells-Floto and Buffalo Bill Shows Will be Greeted by Large Crows in Laredo November 1.

The great combination shows, comprising Sells-Floto and Buffalo Bill's Shows, will arrive in Laredo at daybreak on the morning of November 1 on two special trains over the Texas-Mexican road from Corpus Christi and pitch their large tents in the vicinity of the R. G. & E. P. Ry., where a large area of land has been secured to accommodate the show and its accessories.

Coming with this show will be several hundred people, including many foreign riders with Buffalo Bill's contingent, while the menagerie and other attractions will be one of the largest ever shown in cities south of San Antonio. The shows will give two performances in Laredo, afternoon and night, with a big street parade in the forenoon.

It is said that the schools will suspend for the day, for it will be a difficult matter to hold youngsters within the confines of a schoolroom when a parade is being held with the real Buffalo Bill leading it. That is the day that the kids, and also the adults, are in their glory and there is no doubt that Laredo will turn out enmasse to witness the performances by this great combination of well known shows.

Every Home Needs A Faithful Cough and Cold Remedy.

When seasons change and colds appear—when you first detect a cold after sitting next to one who has sneezed, then it is that a tried and tested remedy should be faithfully used. "I never wrote a testimonial before, but, I know positively that for myself and family, Dr. King's New Discovery is the best cough remedy we ever used and we have tried them all." 50c. and $1.00.

(Adv.)

COOL NORTHER AND RAIN.

Both Came Together This Forenoon, Clearing the Atmosphere and Settling the Dust by Good Shower.

This morning shortly before eleven o'clock a heavy embankment of clouds were noticeable approaching from the northward, and indications were that there was considerable wind accompanying the foreboding nebulae, but it developed only a cool norther and a nice shower of rain.

Just at about the noon hour the rain appeared to come down in a veritable stream and during the half hour that it was at its best the streets were converted into lakes and gutters were running streams. Many people were marooned in the market building or on some sidewalk under a sheltering shed and were compelled to remain in these places until the rainfall subsided sufficiently to permit them to wade across the streets. When the rain was coming down hard and jitneys were needed they could not be found, but like the frogs, they came out and made a noise as soon as the rain ceased.

According to the report from Fort McIntosh, the total precipitation of the rain at mid-day aggregated one and ighty-five one hundreds of an inch—nearly two inches in a little over an hour.

When your food does not digest well and you feel "blue," tired and discouraged, you should use a little HERBINE at bedtime. It opens the bowels, purifies the system and restores a fine feeling of health and energy. Price 50c. Sold by all druggists. x

(Adv.)

Was Called to Bedside.

Upon receipt of telegraphic advices from Corpus Christi on Saturday evening announcing that his mother-in-law, Mrs. M. Downey, was in a critical condition, George W. Sprague left yesterday morning for the seaside city. Mrs. Sprague has been in Corpus for some time at the bedside of her mother.

Wormy children are unhappy, puny and sickly. They can't be otherwise while worms eat away their strength and vitality. A few doses of WHITE'S CREAM VERMIFUGE performs a marvelous transformation, Cheerfulness, strength and the rosy bloom of health speedily return. Price 25c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. x

(Adv.)

COURT CLOSES AT PEARSALL.

District Attorney Valls Returned to Laredo Saturday and Judge Mullally Will Arrive Tomorrow.

District Attorney John A. Valls returned to Laredo on Saturday from Pearsall, where he concluded his part of the work in district court on Friday afternoon. Tomorrow Judge Mullally will return to Laredo, as the court will adjourn there this afternoon.

Next week the regular October term of district court for La Salle county will be convened at Cotulla for a two weeks term, and then there will be a term of court held in Zapata county before the November term of the court convenes in this city on Monday, November 22.

Toned Up Whole System.

"Chamberlain's Tablets have done more for me than I ever dared hope for," writes Mrs. Esther Mae Baker, Spencerport, N. Y. "I used several bottles of these tablets a few months ago. They not only cured me of bilious attacks, sick headaches and that tired out feeling, but toned up my whole system." For sale by all dealers.

(Adv.)

Brought Here for Treatment.

Mr. R. L. French, who has been quite ill at Robstown, was brought to Laredo on Saturday afternoon's train and is now at Mercy Hospital, where the best of attention is being given him and where his condition is reported as much improved today.

A Wonderful Antiseptic.

Germs and infection aggravate ailments and retard healing. Stop that infection at once. Kill the germs and get rid of the poisons. For this purpose a single application of Sloan's Liniment not only kills the pain but destroys the germs. This neutralizes infection and gives nature assistance by overcoming congestion and gives a chance for the free and normal flow of the blood. Sloan's Liniment is an emergency doctor and should be kept constantly on hand. 25c., 50c. The $1.00 size contains six times as much as the 25c.

(Adv.)

TIMES WANT ADS.

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PERSONALS

Judge Geo. R. Page left last night for Austin on a short business trip.

H. H. Reeder of Monterey, Mexico, is a guest at the Bender.

Sam R. Anderson is in the city from his ranch for a short visit.

Mrs. A. J. Barthelow returned home yesterday from a short business trip to San Antonio and Houston.

Henry Borchers returned yesterday from a two weeks visit to the mountains in the vicinity of Kerrville. Mr. Borchers says he had a fine time and was greatly benefited by the outing.

BENDER:—R. E. Lee, San Antonio; Philips M. Keeffe, Mexico City; Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Whittaker, Reiser; C. J. Rohman, San Antonio; L. A. Morrow, Islitas; F. M. Martinez, El Paso; E. M. Lewis, San Antonio; Jack Dencigar, Kansas City, Mo.; C. A. Dauchey, J. L. Sands, H. H. Reeder, C. G. Hernandez, Jose Gomez Herrera, Monterey; M. P. Levy, Dallas; A. M. Ellis, George H. White, H. H. White, New York; W. A. Schawe, Milwaukee, Wis.; Miguel Caparos, Mariano Garcia, Tampico; B. H. Zerber, St. Louis, Mo.; W. W. Kelly, Ashland, Ohio; J. D. Seamands, Mrs. C. A. Dauchey, San Antonio; W. P. Smith, Chicago, Ill.

ROSS:—Adan Garza, P. Elizondo, Ryley Cooper, Monterey; Leonardo Andres, Tampico; Antonio Castro, A. Garza and wife, Monterey; John Hanson, Fausto Sobrino, Tampico; John Feeber, Guanajuato; E. M. Shoemaker, Jacksonville; J. K. Davis, F. C. McMann, St. Louis; Franco Alvarez, Saltillo; Jose Garza, Dr. Siller, San Antonio; J. B. Blalock, San Antonio; W. H. Kidd, Fort Worth; Perry Pains, Sells Floto Show; W. Nash, A. C. Bullman, Dallas.

When the chest feels on fire and the throat burns, you have indigestion, and you need HERBINE to get rid of the disagreeable feeling. It drives out badly digested food, strengthens the stomach and purifies the bowels. Price 50c. Sold by all druggists. x

(Adv.)

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Two Deeds Filed for Record Show Transfers of Property in Eastern Division of the City.

The following deeds have been filed for record with the county clerk since our last report:

W. H. Mims to D. H. Hickey, lots Nos. 7, 8 and 9, in Hamilton replat of block No. 816, E. D. Consideration, $375.

Bertha F. Woods and husband to J. P. Craven, lot No. 10, in block No. 992, E. D. Consideration, $125.

WOMEN IN THE NEWS.

Philadelphia.—That Christmas is not far off in the minds of boys and girls of this and other cities of the United States is evidenced by the flood of petitions that are daily pouring into the home of Miss Olive May Wilson, the "Santa Claus Girl." The work of cheering up neglected children at a time when other more fortunate children are enjoying the Christmas season was begun three years ago by Miss Wilson, and has increased in proportions she little dreamed of at the outset. From a distribution of a few hundred toys at first, the work has grown to such an extent that last year 17,250 gifts were sent out. Miss Wilson's work has attracted attention throughout the United States, and has the approval and commendation of Vice-President Marshall and other national figures.

New Rochelle, N. Y.—With the object of cutting down the cost of living, improving the schools and providing clean amusement for the citizens, two leading women of this city are campaigning for office. Miss Anna L. Bruel, a Vassar graduate, is candidate for the City Council on the Socialist ticket. The second woman candidate is Mrs. Helen Metcalfe Kobbe, who seeks to become supervisor in the Second ward. She is the daughter of Dr. Francis Metcalfe of New York, was educated in Paris and in Italy and is a painter of note. Her husband is running for Mayor on the Socialist ticket. Both the women candidates are hustlers, and are putting up strong campaigns on a platform of municipal ownership of water works, railways and gas plants.

Stop coughing! you rack the lungs and worry the body. BALLARD'S HOREHOUND SYRUP checks irritation, heals the lungs and restores comfortable breathing. Price 25c, 50c and $1.00 per bottle. Sold by all druggists. x

(Adv.)

For Neat and Accurate Job Work ring up 43.

BULGARIA PLAN OF CUTTING SERBIAN RAILROAD DEFEATED BY ALLIED MOVEMENT

Allies have Landed Troops in European Turkey, While Russians Claim that Germans have Gained No Success in their Movement Against Dvinsk, and are Now Trying Distracting Movements.

MEXICANS FIRED ON OUR TROOPS SUNDAY

MEXICAN DANCE WAS CAUSE OF STIMULATING THEM TO COMMENCE WOULD-BE HOSTILITIES.

By Associated Press.

Brownsville, Texas, Oct. 18.—The first serious firing across the Rio Grande in more than three weeks occurred at 4 o'clock this morning near the Mercedes pumping plant, when Mexicans fired about forty shots. The American cavalry patrol returned the fire. The trouble started from a Mexican dance. Army officers are not inclined to regard the situation as serious. Both the Mexican and the American consuls at Brownsville and Matamoros, respectively, have been asked to make investigations.

Carrancistas Took Toluca.

Washington, Oct. 18.—Carranza reports today say that Toluca, near Mexico City, has been taken from the Zapata forces. Nearly half of Chihuahua state is completely controlled by the Carrancistas. Juarez is cut off from the interior and many towns in the north are arming against Villa attacks.

ROBBERS GOT STAMPS.

By Associated Press.

Evansville, Ind., Oct. 18.—Robbers forced open the safe in the United States internal revenue collector's office today and took $15,000 in emergency war stamps.

DEATH TOLL ELEVEN.

By Associated Press.

Randolph, Kan., Oct. 18.—The toll of Saturday's motor car accident was set officially at eleven lives today by the railroad officials. Two were added to the list of identified dead, while all the bodies were recovered except that of a one-year old infant.

BIG SALE OF YEARLING THOROUGHBREDS.

Latonia, Ky., Oct. 18.—Over forty yearlings of the best pedigree will go under the hammer tomorrow in the Latonia paddock. George J. Long has sent down his entire crop of Bashford Manor yearlings, even in all, and there is a goodly assortment from other stables.

MORE LAND FOR SETTLEMENT.

Bismarck, N. D., Oct. 18—Surface homestead entry is being made today by homeseekers on their selections in the 110,000 acre tract thrown open today for entry by the government. The new homesteads are on the land within the former Fort Berthold Indian reservation. Entries will be received at Minot, Plaza and Bismarck until October 30.

KANSAS MILITARY MEN GO TO SCHOOL.

Topeka, Kas., Oct. 18—Officers of the National Guard of Kansas began their school work today, and must continue during a three-year course in military matters, including map-reading, military law, sanitation and field work. The course is a correspondence affair, conducted by officers of the United States Army.

Health and Happiness Depend Upon Your Liver.

That sluggish liver with its sluggish flow of bile is what makes the world look so dark at times. Dr. King's New Life Pills go straight to the roof of the difficulty by waking up the action of the liver and increasing the bile. Dr. King's New Life Pills cause the bowels to act more freely and drive away those "moody days." 25c. a bottle.

(Adv.)

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 18.—The Serbian allies, in occupying the Bulgarian town of Strumitza, thirty miles north of Saloniki, have defeated the Bulgarian project of cutting the Saloniki-Nish railroad, which is to be used in sending the allied troops from Saliniki north. It is not known whether British troops co-operated, but the work of the French troops is evident. The French forces completely repulsed three German attacks last night at Bois en Hache, in the northern Souchez district, says the war office statement. In the eastern theater the Germans are attacking the Russian positions southeast of Riga on the Baltic Sea, but Petrograd regards this as a distracting movement to draw attention from Dvinsk, which the Germans seek. Although Ivanoff's Russian troops have not made any sensational successes, the Germans have been unable to establish themselves on the eastern bank of the Stripa river. Slight progress for the allies is reported in the Champagne region, although intense artillery fighting continues on both sides. A strong barricade southeast of Neuville has been captured, the war office states.

The Entente allies landed troops at Enos, on the Aegean Sea in European Turkey close to the Bulgarian border, says an Athens despatch. The Bulgarians pressing from the east to form a junction with the Teutonic forces coming from the north captured additional heights. German airmen dropped bombs on the French fortress of Belfort, Berlin announces.

Claims German Spy.

New York, Oct. 18.—Max Lynar, also known as a German count, was recommitted to jail today on a charge of bigamy and in default of $10,000 bail. In the meantime the department of justice had filed important information in relation to a suspicion that Lynar was a German spy.

Detained American Yacht.

Washington, Oct. 18.—Much interest centers on the discovery that an American yacht is now detained at Bogota, Columbia, with an unusually large crew. British agents reported that yachts are being outfitted by Germns to attack tankers carrying fuel oil from Mexico.

To Blockade Bulgaria.

Paris, Oct. 18.—The British blockade of the Bulgarian coast, says an Athens despatch, is the prelude to combined land and sea operations. Italy will be represented by a naval squadron and a number of transports.

Thirty-three Saved.

Paris, Oct. 18.—A despatch says that a mail boat arrived at Marseilles with thirty-three members of the crew of the French Rear Admiral Mamelin, sunk by a submarine. The first reports said that 71 lives were lost.

Serbians Begini Retreat.

Berlin, Oct. 18.—The Serbians in the Macva district of the Save-Drina front are now beginning to retreat, it is announced by the German war office.

JOE CANNON DEDICATES A COURTHOUSE.

Edwardsville, Ill., Oct. 18.—"Uncle Joe" Cannon, former Speaker of the National House of Representatives, will deliver an address at the dedication of the new Madison County Courthouse here today. Supreme Judge William Farmer will also deliver an address. The new courthouse cost $250,000, and is one of the handsomest buildings in this section of the country.

Noted Newspaperman.

One of the visitors to The Times this morning was Courtney Ryley Cooper, press agent of the Sells-Floto shows. Mr. Cooper is an experienced newspaperman, being a member of the Authors' League of America, former associate editor of the Motion Picture Magazine, formerly on the staff of Collier's, and a consulting editor of the Vitagraph Photoplay clearing house. This is Mr. Cooper's first visit to the border and he liked everything he saw.

PRESIDENT WILSON DEFENSE PROGRAM

SIGNIFICANT SPEECH EXPECTED WHEN HE ADDRESSES NEW YORK AUDIENCES NEXT MONTH.

By Associated Press.

Washington, Oct. 18.—President Wilson will open his campaign for the national defense program in New York, November 4. It will be the president's first public utterance on the subject since approving Garrison's and Daniels' plans. The speech will be significant because it is expected Mr. Wilson will disclose reasons why he will urge congress why the United States should be more adequately prepared for defense.

VIOLATING SUNDAY LAW.

By Associated Press.

Chicago, Oct. 18.—Seventy-four violations of Chicago's new Sunday closing law were recorded by the police this morning, or a 60 per cent increase over a week ago. All the cases will be submitted to the mayor tomorrow, with a recommendation that the license be forfeited.

HOPE TO FREE COLLEGE BOY SPY

New York, Oct. 18.—When the postponed trial of Kenneth Wood Triest, held in the Tower of London under accusation of being a spy, comes up in the British court today, evidence will be submitted by his father, Wolfgang G. Triest of this city, that the young man was ecentric and irresponsible. The State Department at Washington interceded in behalf of the boy's father, and secured a postponement of the trial until today, to enable the attorneys to gather proof of the queer actions of the young man held by the English military authorities.

Triest is only 19 years old. He was a freshman at Princeton when he disappeared last January, leaving no trace of his whereabouts. It appears that young Triest entered the wireless service of the British Navy. About seven weeks ago the father asked the State Department to obtain his release on the ground that he was under age and had enlisted without his parent's consent. It then developed that Triest was already under arrest. The British government asserted it had intercepted a letter in which Triest is claimed to have offered to furnish military secrets to the German government. But out of courtesy to the United States, the trial was postponed two weeks.

The affidavits filed by the boy's father will be produced at the trial, and it is said that counsel engaged by the family will represent the youth.

Young Triest built up a reputation of being eccentric during his short stay of three months at Princeton University. He formed no intimate friendships, and few of his classmates knew who he was. He spent his time in his room, and on his way to and from lectures, he seemed to have avoided his mates.

One of his eccentricities, according to his neighbors at Princeton, was that he never slept except in his street clothes. On leaving Princeton, he handed an old lead-pencil to a friend, saying that it had magic in examinations. Soon afterward he threw his effects out of the window and went no one knew where.

Auction Sale.

Shipment 21 packages filing cabinets shipped by The Shaw Walker Co., of Muskegon, Mich., covered by St. L. I. M. S., E. St, Louis to Mexico City, Way bill M. P. 30,638, of Feb. 2, 1913, consigned to Max Otto, Mexico City, will be auctioned at Laredo Transfer station 30 days from this date or on October 18th, 1915, to the highest bidder for cash.

J. C. SEYMOUR,
Joint Agent.
9-18-30t. (Adv.)

From Tuesday's Daily.

TOO MANY COURTS.

It is evident that Texas has too many courts. And this is only too apparent when two of our higher courts begin to argue over the question as to which is the final authority in matters regarding the constitutionality of acts passed by our legislature.

In considering the question of the recently enacted pool hall law, the court of criminal appeals states emphatically that it the court of last resort with regard to criminal matters, while the supreme court states equally that the pool hall law is unconstitutional.

There should be no such conflict between our courts of appeal. The very title of supreme court would indicate that our legislators knew what they were about when they created that court, while the court of criminal appeals is popularly sppposed to be only a court to which convicted criminals can appeal when they believe that they have been wronged in the lower courts, leaving the final resort to the supreme court.

The trouble with our present judiciary plan is that we have entirely too many courts, and that one of the courts is arrogating to itself powers that were not contemplated by our legislators and that certainly are not contemplated by the people.

The court of criminal appeals occupies the same position and should have the same functions as the appellate courts of other states. And in all states the supreme court is the court of final resort, having jurisdiction after the appellate court has rendered its decision.

To grant less power to our supreme court than to the higher courts of other states is to belittle our highest judicial authority. And one of the functions of the supreme court is to pass upon the validity and the constitutionality of laws adopted by the legislature.

This brings up a question that has often been argued in most of the states of our Union. Why would it not be a good plan to submit proposed legislation to our highest court before finally adopting it, and thus avoid the ridiculous (and sometimes shameful) position of having laws on our statue books that will not stand the scrutiny of the courts?

If it is desirable that the lawyers profit from the confusion attendant upon a set of laws which are unconstitutional, why not pension them and have done with it? And why not make laws that even a wayfaring man can understand?

The pool hall law was framed to permit counties or subdivisions of counties to prohibit pool halls within their legal limits. There was a feeling that pool halls were not conducive to the best that was expected of our young men. There was no compulsion on the part of any political unit of Texas to drive pool halls from their midst.

Many of the counties passed local ordinances prohibiting pool halls to operate within their limits. Now comes the conflict between the courts. The court of criminal appeals says that the law is constitutional, while the supreme court says it is invalid.

If a law is valid which permits a county to prohibit the operation of saloons within its limits, surely the people have the same right to prohibit anything else that they believe is subversive of good morals.

This is not intended as a criticism of either of the courts as to their decision in regard to the law. We do not claim to be better versed in the law than the learned judges who represent the people in our higher courts. But it is intended as a criticism of the conditions which permit two sets of judges who ought to be in agreement on every point of the law that is obscure to the layman to distinctly contradict and oppose each other.

And some day the people of Texas are going to make it impossible for one court to opposite its will to another court which the law says is equal with it in standing if not in authority.

A FEDERAL INDICTMENT.

When Roy Campbell, as sales manager of the Southern Texas Truck Growers Association, was acquitted of the charges of conspiracy to secure rebates from the railroads by underbilling the weights of produce shipped it was believed that the case was ended.

The testimony offered for the defense was sufficient to cause the jury to bring in a verdict of acquittal, and it was acknowledged that there was no ground for the charges that Mr. Campbell "willfully and knowingly" caused false statements of weights to be made to the railroads for the purpose of securing a lower freight rate.

Now comes an indictment by the federal grand jury at Houston, charging that John H. Davis, president of the association; Roy Campbell, sales manager, and Arch McFarland, traffic manager, "agents, servants and employes of said corporation, unlawfully did conspire, combine, confederate and agree together and with divers other persons to the grand jurors unknown, for brevity hereafter called conspirators," to induce certain railroads to grant concessions and discriminations in their favor.

No one who knows the caused will be willing to believe that they are guilty of the offenses charged against them. On a similar charge, made by the same authorities, Roy Campbell was acquitted and vindicated, but only after he had had been put to an expense of $9,000 in attorney's fees, witness fees, etc.

There is no attempt on the part of The Times to try this case out of court, nor to prejudge either the prosecution or the defense. The only thing that appeals to all the friends of the accused is that they will be subjected to great expense, much worry and chagrin, and that without much prospect of a conviction.

In the previous trial no pains were spared by the prosecution to prove its contention. Witnesses were called who were expected to establish beyond a reasonable doubt the guilt of the accused, while the latter simply made a denial of the charges and brought witnesses to prove his character, whereupon the jury acquitted him of the charges.

If, as Mr. Campbell charges, the present case is merely a case of persecution because of the failure to establish the charges in his previous trial, there is reason for an investigation of this matter by the department of justice.

A district attorney in one of our state courts who lost the majority of his criminal cases would lose his prestige as an officer of the law. But it seems not to matter that a majority of the cases in a federal court result in acquittal, after costing the government enormous sums of money annually.

Many of the cases filed under federal statutes such as the anti-trust law anti-rebate law and the like are either withdrawn or result in a verdict for the defendant. And this is mainly for the reason that in most cases the offenses are merely technical violations of the law, without any intent to defraud either the government or the people.

If it should be proved—as was the case in the previous trial—that if there was any underbilling of produce it was without the knowledge of the officers of the association, it would not constitute a wilful violation of the law. Yet the charges are explicit that the defendants did "unlawfully conspire, combine, confederate and agree" to violate the law.

The defendants in the present case are not wealthy men. They need every dollar they have, and they need to devote their entire time to their business in order not to lose money. Yet they must pay large amounts of money to carry on the defense of this suit, must spend much time in preparing for trial, and at the best their vindication, if it comes at the hands of the jury, leaves them much poorer than before.

Surely such charges should be thoroughly investigated before being made, to the end that no indictment should be found unless there should be almost a certainty of conviction.

The Germans are reported to be outfitting American yachts to attack tank vessels carrying fuel oil from Mexico. Any American who would lend his yacht to any belligerent for any such purpose deserves to pay the full penalty of violating the neutrality laws.

Robbers in Indiana are getting bolt, and some of them robbed the internal revenue collector's office of war stamps. Some of those Hoosiers are not at all particular what they take, so long as it belongs to someone else.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Texas Mexican.

Leaves for Corpus Christi at 8:20 a. m.

Arrives from Corpus Christi at 3:55 p. m. Standard time.

International & Great Northern.

Through fast train for St. Louis leaves at 1 and arrives at 1:50 p. m.

I. & G. N. Night Train.

Leaves at 8 p. m. and arrives at 7:15 a. m.

Rio Grande & Eagle Pass.

Train No. 1 leaves Laredo daily except Sunday at 8 a. m. Arrives at Minera at 10:30 a. m.

Train No. 2 leaves Minera daily except Sunday at 1:15 p. m. Arrives at Laredo at 3:30 p. m.

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MANY GOING BACK TO MEXICO TO TAKE UP OLD POSITIONS

SAY THAT THE REVOLUTION IS NOW A THING OF THE PAST.

Many Americans and Other Foreigners Among Those Who See Era of Prosperity Ahead for Mexico.

During the past two or three days there have been quite a few American and other families passing through Laredo on their way to Mexico, in nearly all instances these being people who had previously fled from the republic to the United States on advice of the Washington state department to leave Mexico until revolutionary conditions there improved and it was safe for them to venture back.

According to the belief entertained by those now wending their way back to Mexico and lucrative positions which they abandoned of necessity a year or more ago, the recognition of Carranza, though still pending, is a certainty and an assurance that there will be a restoration of commercial activity, of the resuming of all industrial plants and the revivification of prosperous conditions generally throughout Mexico.

Americans, English, Germans and other foreign capitalists who have millions invested in the republic have negotiated for the reopening of their oil fields, mines, and other industries, and these alone will give employment to thousands of Americans who left Mexico at the behest of President Wilson or the state department some time ago.

The resumption of work in the oil fields of Mexico, it is announced, will be resumed within a few weeks, as announcement comes from Tampico and Panuco to the effect that the great American and English oil wells in that section are preparing to resume operations on a full scale, only one or two wells having remained in operation there when the field closed down several months ago.

From present indications, however, it appears that there is going to be a great deal of activity down in Mexico very soon, as shipments of machinery and implements to take the place of those destroyed by revolutionists is moving in there and many Americans and others are going back to Mexico to take positions which they formerly held there.

Why Not Publish It?

When you want a fact to become generally known, the right way is to publish it. Mrs. Joseph Kallans, Peru, Ind., was troubled with belching, sour stomach and frequent headaches. She writes, "I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me. They have helped my digestion and regulated my bowels. Since using them I have been entirely well." For sale by all dealers.

(Adv.)

Auction Sale.

Shipment 21 packages filing cabinets shipped by The Shaw Walker Co., of Muskegon, Mich., covered by St. L. I. M. S., E. St. Louis to Mexico City, Way bill M. P. 30,638, of Feb. 2, 1913, consigned to Max Otto, Mexico City, will be auctioned at Laredo Transfer station 30 days from this date or on October 18th, 1915, to the highest bidder for cash.

J. C. SEYMOUR,
Joint Agent.
9-18-30t. (Adv.)

HELPLESS AS BABY

Down in Mind Unable to Work, and What Helped Her.

Summit Point, W. Va.—Mrs. Anna Belle Emey, of this place, says: "I suffered for 15 years with an awful pain in my right side, caused from womanly trouble, and doctored lots for it, but without success. I suffered so very much, that I became down in mind, and as helpless as a baby. I was in the worst kind of shape. Was unable to do any work.

I began taking Cardui, the woman's tonic, and got relief from the very first dose. By the time I had taken 12 bottles, my health was completely restored. I am now 48 years years old, but feel as good as I did when only 16.

Cardui certainly saved me from losing my mind, and I feel it my duty to speak in its favor. I wish I had some power over poor, suffering women, and could make them know the good it would do them."

If you suffer from any of the ailments peculiar to women, it will certainly be worth your while to give Cardui a trial. It has been helping weak women for more than 50 years, and will help you, too.

Try Cardui. Your druggist sells it.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions* on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. N.C. 121

(Adv.)

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NEW THREE-STORY BUILDING FOR LAREDO NATIONAL BANK

PLANS CHANGED TO ADD ANOTHER STORY TO BUILDING.

Third Floor to Be Quarters for Fraternal Order on Long-Time Lease; Old Building is Being Razed.

Instead of being a magnificent two-story building, with ornamental front and artistic appointments that will make it one of the handsomest structures of its kind in Southwest Texas, the Laredo National Bank building will in all probability be an imposing structure of three stories in height, with the third floor used as quarters for a local fraternal order, which has practically closed a lease with the bank people and will therefore induce them to make alterations in the plans before work of construction starts that will cause the building to be of three stories instead of two as originally planned. This, of course, will make the building cost about $10,000 more than the contract figures of about $50,000.

The bank officers stated to the Times reporter this morning that it was practically an assured fact that the new building would be of three instead of two stories, as a fraternal order of the city has signified a willingness of entering into a long-time lease for the third floor, and this has induced the bank people to add another story, although the foundation to be put down will be such as will accommodate a five-story structure, which means that in future years the building can have more floors added.

The work of tearing down the old one-story structure on the site at the corner of Flores Avenue and Lincoln street, was begun this morninig. This old building has been here as long as the oldest inhabitant—that is, it was one kind of a building once upon a time, and then alterations were made and it was made into another kind of a building. Anyhow, it is of the antiquated kind that is giving way to the van of progress.

The old building is being razed by the contractors, J. V. Jambers & Co., and the material is to be carted away, and as soon as the site is cleared of the debris the work on the foundation of the new and imposing home of the Laredo National Bank will be started.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Three Deals in City and County Property Filed For Record With County Clerk Since Last Report.

The following deeds involving the transfer of realty both in the city and county, have been filed for record with the county clerk during the past two days:

Anastacio Garcia to Gonzago Gamboa, lot No. 1, in block No. 66, W. D. Consideration, $400.

Constancia V. de Vidaurri, administratrix of the estate of Rafael Vidaurri, deceased, to Jose Angel Rodriguez, thirty-one acres out of Porcion No. 23, Abst. No. 283, Webb county. Consideration, $155.

J. J. Howell and wife to Galo Garcia, lot No. 5, in block No. 72, W. D. Consideration, $4,800.

Every Home Needs A Faithful Cough and Cold Remedy.

When seasons change and colds appear—when you first detect a cold after sitting next to one who has sneezed, then it is that a tried and tested remedy should be faithfully used. "I never wrote a testimonial before, but, I know positively that for myself and family, Dr. King's New Discovery is the best cough remedy we ever used and we have tried them all." 50c. and $1.00.

(Adv.)

For Neat and Accurate Job Work ring up 43.

CHARGE RAILROAD REBATING AGAINST THE ASSOCIATION

FEDERAL GRAND JURY RETURNED ANOTHER INDICTMENT.

Rehash of Rebate Conspiracy Case in Which Roy Campbell Was Acquitted Last March.

Another case of interest to residents of Laredo will be tried in the United States district court when Roy Campbell, John H. Davis and Arch McFarland will answer to charges brought against them of conspiracy to rebate with certain railroads in connection with shipments of truck by the Southern Texas Truck Growers Association from Jan. 1, 1912, to July 2, 1914.

The charges came as a surprise to those who have followed the previous case against Roy Campbell as sales manager of the association, especially as Mr. Campbell was trimphantly vindicated, although the trial cost him about $9,000 and a great deal of work and worry.

The charges are contained in a bill of indictment found by the federal grand jury at Houston recently, the indictment covering 37 pages of legal cap paper, and charging various offenses extending over a period of eighteen months, and implicating the defendants in conspiracies to receive rebates from thirteen railroads.

The charges are similar to those made in the previous trial of Roy Campbell and the Southern Texas association, and are based upon an allegation that the association through its officers—John H. Davis, president; Roy Campbell, sales manager, and Arch McFarland, traffic manager—underbilled the weights of the produce shipped by them, thus securing a lower freight rate than was due, thereby defranding the railroads of the difference in the freight rates.

The defendants claim that the new trial is simply a rehash of the old trial, which the government lost, and that it is aa clear case of persecution because the government failed to carry its case on the former trial.

SELLS-FLOTO CIRCUS.

He'll come rushing into town in a short time now. He'll hurry out of the depot and be whirled to his hotel. Once there he'll hunt the telphone and talk long over it to feed men, to real estate owners and others, and then, the next day, he'll be up and hurrying about long before the business side of the town's life has commenced its work. For his is the labor which never ends. He is that little known, that fleeting personage of the circus, the "twenty-four hours man."

And the reason for the coming of the twenty-four hour man is, of course, the coming of the Sells-Floto and Buffalo Bill's Original Wild West, which is to be in this city Monday, November 1. And this year the twenty-four hour man's work is bigger than ever for the simple reason that the circus is bigger. His is the task of providing for the hundreds of performers, for Col. William Frederick Cody (Buffalo Bill) and his retinue which is to appear in the Wild West production; for Rosa Rosalind,, the Maid of Mystery, and her many horses; for Kid McCoy, the famous prize fighter, who presents a novelty in a display of self-defense; for Rhoda Royal and his equine part of the show; for Devlin's Zouaves; for the Recardos and their lions; for Zora and her elephants, and all the others who form the great family of the Sells-Floto Circus.

And so with it all, with the Wild West and roaring animals and trumpeting elephants and pretty women and clowns, the circus is coming to town. But it could not arrive—or at least could not exist after its arrival—were it not for that one man who will rush here in advance and work eighteen hours out of the day that the circus may be provided for—the "twenty-four hour man."

FOR SALE

Lots 5 and 7 in Block 170, W. D. each 25x45 varas (the old Taylor homestead on Juarez Avenue.)

Max Deutz.

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GERALD SIELSKI BADLY HURT.

Was Getting on Car This Morning to Come to Town When He Came in Contact With Current.

This morning at 6:40 o'clock when the street car from the Heights to the downtown district started on its journey Gerald Sielski was about to board the car when he met with a serious accident which prostrated him in the road some distance away, where he was violently hurled by coming in contact with electricity connecting the handgrip.

Gerald was just about to get aboard the car and had grabbed the handgrip, when he was violently knocked down and rendered unconscious. The accident was perhaps due to the dampness and a contact with the rod while Sielski was standing on the ground. He was taken to the home of his mother, near where the accident occurred, and his condition is uncertain.

The May Apple Liver Tonic.

May Apple is an old time liver medicine. Its active principle (Podophyllin) is sometimes called Vegetable Calomel. In Po-Do-Lax Mr. Apple is combined with other well known liver remedies, making Po-Do-Lax the ideal liver medicine. It arouses the liver, increases bile, does not gripe, has no nausea and one feels fine generally. Get a 50c. bottle, take a dose tonight and notice how much better you feel—you cannot afford to get along without Po-Do-Lax. "The Liver Tonic with Vegetable Calomel." 50c.

(Adv.)

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NORTH LAREDO PACKING CO. BEING WORK ON THEIR PLANT

WHICH WILL BE LOCATED ON DAVIS SPUR, NORTH LAREDO.

Precooling Plant Capable of Taking Care of Three Carloads of Truck Per Day Has Been Begun.

The North Laredo Packing Company, which was recently incorporated under the laws of this state with John H. Davis, Davis McGown, P. D. Parker and A. P. Nye as incorporators, yesterday had ground broken for their pre-cooling plant which will be built on the Davis Spur in North Laredo and which, when completed, will have a capacity of pre-cooling three carloads of fruits or vegetables per day.

The pre-cooling plant to be erected by the North Laredo Packing Co. will be in the likeness of a cold-storage plant, and accommodations will be provided for storing therein fully three carloads of truck per day, but in this plant there is no ice used for refrigeration purposes and the congealment provided is through a cool air automatically made within the storage rooms.

All the gentlemen interested in the North Laredo Packing Co. are representative farmers of that section and are men who have made a success of onion growing each year, while with them diversification has also proven a success and they have demonstrated that the Laredo section is adapted to the growing of many things that are not planted extensively now, but with an expert demonstration agent and other favorable prospects ahead the precooling plant of the Norty Laredo Packing Co. will be only one of many others soon to be established in the North Laredo and Laredo sections.

From Wednesday's Daily.

CELEBRATE CENTENARY OF RICHARD H. DANS.

Boston, Oct. 20.—The hundredth anniversary of Richard Henry Dana, author of "Two Years Before the Mast," a leader in the anti-slavery movement and an authority on international law, is being celebrated today at his birthplace in Cambridge. Exercises will be held this evening in Sanders Theatre, Cambridge, at which Hon. Joseph H. Choate, fromer ambassador to the Court of St. James, will speak on Dana as a citizen, a lawyer and writer on law; Prof. Bliss Perry will comment on Mr. Dana's literary work, and Hon. Moorfield Storey of Boston will consider the famous author's connection with the anti-slavery movement.

One of the interesting phases of the centennary celebration is the mystery in the fate of the good brig "Pilgrim" on which Dana gained his material for "Two Years Before the Mast." The custom house records say that she was broken up at Key West; the Californians point with pride to the remains of a vessel which they claim was Dana's famous vessel, and still a third version of the "Pilgrim's" fate has just come to light. There has just been discovered among the Dana family's papers an old letter which purports to tell the wholetale of the fate of the brig. Coming from the hand of a sailor who shipped on the Pilgrim's last voyage, one might expected it to be final, but certain discrepancies that exist between it and the custom house records leave a tempting margin of doubt. Easterners have always scoffed at the claims of the Pacific historians that the good brig's bones rest on their coast. "Two Years Before the Mast" is peculiarly treasured in California for the description it makes of the sights and scenes at a time when that coast was a wilderness. But the new evidence further confirms the belief here that the wreck cherished there is that of another ship than Dana's.

Here is the letter of Edward Hill, writen Feb. 5, 1878, and dated at Boston, to Mr. Dana, giving what purports to be an account of the last voyage of the brig Pilgrim and its destruction:

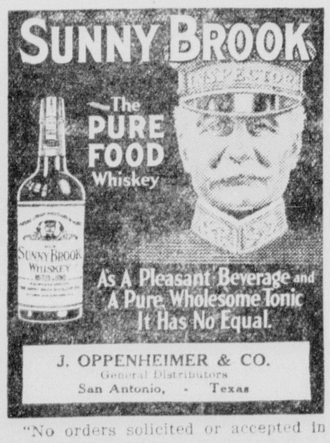
"According to your request, made to me at Halifax last simmer, I give you a statement about your brig Pilgrim. I joined her at Boston in the autumn of 1842, I think it was. I am not quite sure of the year, but it was in the autumn, and I think it was in October. She then belonged to Captain Haley of Salem, James Sheppard was master of her. She was bound from Boston to New Orleans, with a full cargo of lime. We had on goard the master, one mate, a cook, a five men.

"When we were off the Tortugas, say some one hundred miles, one night. I saw smoke in the forecastle and called the captain. We put the small boat overboard at once. The smoke came up through the deck everywhere, and we saw that she was all afire, fore and aft. We lowered the small boat, but had no time to attempt to lower the long-boat. We had no time to save anything to speak of..... Before I coud get into the boat, the forward part of her blew up, and the foremast fell..... At seven the next morning, which was Sunday, the brig rolled over, and exploded, like a broadside of a ship-of war, and sank...."

The later agrees with Mr. Dana's own statement that "after a few years" he "read of her total loss at sea by fire," although he aids "off the coast of North Carolina." The letter also agrees with the custom house records here that the owner's name was Haley. But the writer says the fire took place about 1842 and that the vessel exploded and sank, whereas the custom house records say "surrender of transfer 30 June, 1856; broken up at Key West."

And so the thousands of readers of "Two Years Before the Mast" are speculating today as to whether the "Pilgrim" came to her end through fire, or outlived her usefulness and was broken up for junk.

But whatever their conclusion, "Two Years Before the Mast," the spontaneous work of a youth who began writing at 21 and saw the book published at 23, enjoys a literary longevity whose term cannot yet be measured in years. The book had a healthy influence on American literature, for it brought new youth to all American writing. From its mark may be dated the "modern" period in American literature, the energy and freedom, simplicity and charm, unspoiled by attempt to create charm by embellishment, and above all the pervading geniality of its pages, gave fresh life to a literature which had been stilted and sterile.



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LITTLE LOCALS

—Venustiano Carranza, by the recognition received at the hands of President Wilson, is conceded by Americans now to be the de facto president of Mexico. But that is merely making passing notice of the fact and The Times is not so elated over the news that a whole page is contributed to publishing a likeness of the new president of a foreign land, and that side by side with our own president.

—French pastry from now on. Let us know your wants. We have an expert on the job. Patty shells, cream rolls, tarts, Napoleon slices. At Borchers. 10-20-3t.

(Adv.)

—With experienced mechanics on the job the quality of our work is guaranteed, the price as well. Let us known your needs. Phone 819, Laredo Iron Works. 10-16-6t.

(Adv.)

—Teacher of English, Spanish and Gregg Shorthand, evening lessons only. Apply Will W. Gregg, Times office. 10-11-tf.

(Adv.)

—An extra force of men have been put to work cleaning up the city cemetery for All Souls Day.

—Remember that we make all kinds of pies to order, finger rolls, small loaves of bread to serve at each plate. When giving a party let us figure with you. Borchers. 10-20-3t.

(Adv.)

—Eastern Hair Dressing Shop, 1210 Lincoln street. Phone 889 for appointment. 9-23-tf.

(Adv.)

—Street Commissioner Christen has a gang of men at work regrading Iturbide street from San Agustin avenue to the Zacate bridge. There has been so much jitney traffic over this street in the past few months that it had become full of holes and therefore very rough for travel.

—Butter, did you say? Yes, we use the best and plenty of it in all of our pastry. A trial will convince you. Borchers. 10-20-3t.

(Adv.)

—Every user of machinery should look us up, for we repair all classes of machinery, make all kinds of iron and brass castings. Laredo Iron Works, Phone 819. 10-16-6t.

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—St. Paul Hotel, new management. Rooms with or without private bath. Rates on application. Mrs. J. W. Earnest. Phone 782. 10-2-1m

(Adv.)

—All the children are counting the days now until the big Sells-Floto and Buffalo Bill Shows visit Laredo on November 1. The parade is something that attracts the big and little alike, but the children are happiest when they can wander around and look at the animals that comprise the menagerie. There is a big menagerie with the Sells-Floto Shows.

—Have you tried our apple cake? If not, you don't know what you are missing. We have them every Thursday. Borchers. 10-20-3t.

(Adv.)

—There is Art and Science in WELDING. We succeed where others fail. "There's a Reason" Laredo Iron Works. 10-16-6t.

(Adv.)

—For self starter work see Yeary at the Citizens Garage. 6-25-tf.

Adv.)

—The city council transacted business in the good old way last night and in passing the street car matter up to a committee to prepare a report on for the next meeting they got a job off their hands that will be satisfactorily settled by the adoption of the committee report.

—Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office. 6-5-tf (Adv.)

—Do you desire comfort? Use electric lights and fans

4-1-tf. (Adv.)

—Moving, moving. Laredo Tansfer, Phone 864. 8-4-tf.

(Adv.)

—The many friends of Gerald Sielski will be pleased to learn that there is noticeable improvement in his condition today, following the near-electrocution he underwent yesterday morning.

—If it is neat and accurate job printing that you want send your orders to The Times job department. Expert workmanship and the best of materials. 1-9-tf

(Adv.)

—Laredo Transfer. Phone 864. 8-4-tf.

(Adv.)

Laredo Boy Making Good.

The Architectural Year Book of the University of Texas contains, among other full page plates, two designs drawn by F. S. Netzer, of the sophomore class of last year. His designs are classed among the best submitted, and he was the only one who had two designs printed. Fred Netzer is well-known to all Laredo people, being the son of Jos. Netzer, and his friends will be pleased to learn of his success in his course, which he will complete in 1916-17.

Toned Up Whole System.

"Chamberlain's Tablets have done more for me than I ever dared hope for," writes Mrs. Esther Mae Baker, Spencerport, N. Y. "I used several bottles of these tablets a few months ago. They not only cured me of bilious attacks, sick headaches and that tired out feeling, but toned up my whole system." For sale by all dealers.

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PERSONALS

Sid Katz of San Antonio is a guest at the Bender.

Hon. Frank H. Burmeister of San Antonio is stopping at the Bender.

R. W. Davis of Dolores is in the city and is stopping at the Bender.

S. H. Lewis of Geo. D. Barnard & Co. is in the city on one of his regular visits.

Judge Geo. R. Page returned home yesterday from a short business trip to Austin.

Martin J. Arnold, Esq. of San Antonio, arrived in the city this morning.

Judge J. F. Mullally and Court Stenographer S. S. Wilcox returned this morning from Pearsall, where Judge Mullally adjourned a term of the district court yesterday.

J. K. Beretta, president of the National Bank of Commerce of San Antonio and of the Laredo National Bank of this city arrived here this morning for a short visit and expects to return tonight to his home in San Antonio.

Thomas Cunningham arrived yesterday from Brownsville, being called home on account of the illness of his daughter, Miss Revell. The Times is pleased to announce that the young lady is much improved today.

ROSS:—L. S. Bernam, San Antonio; E. Barone, Jr., Saltillo; F. Westrop, L. J. Eivet, Jose Valle, San Antonio; Frank Abrams, Ben Asher, Houston.

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(Adv.)

Revival Meeting.

A ten days meeting will be held by the Presbyterian Church beginning next Sunday, Oct. 24th. Mr. Glascow of Mercedes, Texas, will arrive on Monday and will continue the meeting until its close. The services weather permitting will be held outdoors upon the lot adjoining the church. Mr. Glascow will preach every night at seven thirty. A very cordial invitation is extended to all the citizens of Laredo to attend these services. Mr. Glascow will bring you a message.

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SERBIA IN DANGER OF BRING OVERWHELMED BY HER NEIGHBORS SAY THE LATEST REPORTS

Bulgarians Crossing the Boundary in Large Numbers, While Austrians and Germans are Advancing Steadily, and Germany Reports Successes Against the Plucky Little Defenders of Their Soil.

By Associated Press.

London, Oct. 20.—The latest near east reports indicate that Servia is in deadly danger of being overwhelmed by the armies of her neighbors. Eight Bulgarian forces have crossed into Servia. The Austro-Germans are advancing steadily. The Austrians announce a further advance west of Belgrade. There is no news from the Anglo-French army, but it is known to have been in the fighting, because French wounded are coming into Saloniki. The allies in France and Belgium report that the Germans there seem to be heavily reinforced and apparently are getting ready to attack.

Claim Capture of French.

Berlin, Oct. 20.—The war office today announced that the Germans captured nearly 400 men and three machine guns from the French in the Champagne district. A British aeroplane was shot down near Middlekirke, Belgium, and the occupants captured.

To Attack Montenegro.

London, Oct. 20.—A new Austro-German campaign, this time against Montenegro, is reported under preparation in despatches from Frankfort, Germany. About 20,000 are reported already gathered for this campaign near the Montenegrin frontier.

Harvard Gradua Captured.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 20.—Norman Prince of Boston, a Harvard graduate who is an aviator with the French army, has been captured by the Germans.

Bulgarians Captured Servians.

Berlin, Oct. 20.—The German war office today announced that the Bulgarians captured 2,000 Servians and twelve cannon with the town of Sultan Tepe.

Carson Explained Resignation.

London, Oct. 20.—Sir Edward Carson announced today that his resignation was due to a dispute over Balkan and Turkish affairs.

MAY BE PRESIDENT AND AGAIN MAY NOT

WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING LAW PROHIBITS IT, CARRANZA SAID HE MIGHT ACCEPT OFFICE.

By Associated Press.

Gomez Palacio, Coahuila, Oct. 20.—Carranza, upon receiving the news of his recognition here yesterday, said when asked if he would be a candidate for the presidency:

"There is now a law that prohibits me from being a candidate. I do not know. I might accept the presidency and I might not. I shall not call an election until peace is finally restored."

He thought peace might be established in about one year. For the present, Carranza said, he expected to continue the title he had been using. He said he expected foreigners not to mix in politics.

Closed Villa Agency.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The Villa agency here closed its doors today. The junta is scattered. It was announced that since Carranza is recognized there is no further need of the agency. The Latin colony here believes that this indicates that the Villa forces are not to make an active campaign, at least in Washington.

Embargo on Arms.

Washington, Oct. 20.—President Wilson today declared an embargo on the shipment of arms and ammunition into Mexico, but signed a supplementary order permitting munitions to go through unhampered to the Carranza forces.

Border Quiet Today.

Brownsville, Texas, Oct. 20.—The border is quiet today and no further executions were reported since yesterday.

Quarantine Along Border.

Fort Worth, Texas, Oct. 20.—State Health Officer Collins here today announced the establishment of a quarantine along the Texas border to keep out infectious diseases.

DISCUSS FINANCES OF CAPITAL CITY.

Washington, Oct. 20.—The postponed hearing on the fiscal relations between the United States government and the District of Columbia will open today, when the committee of residents will present the mass of facts they have gathered regarding the financing of the city since it was founded 125 years ago. The hearing is before to Joint Select Committee of Congress appointed to inquire into the relations between the federal government and the district. The question at issue is the relative proportions of the expense of running the district, between the taxpayers and the government. The financing of other national capitals will figure in the proceedings.

GOVERNOR DUNNE'S DAUGHTER WEDS.

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 20.—Miss Eileen Dunne, eldest daughter of Governor Edward F. Dunne of Illinois, was married here today to Mr. William J. Corboy of Chicago. The wedding took place in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Roman Catholic, in the presence of State officials and those prominent in the social life of Chicago and Springfield.

The bride is a graduate of a convent school, and is 22 years old. She has been popular in the Capital City, and took an active part in all the social functions at the executive mansion last season. The groom is a young lawyer, associated with her father's law firm in Chicago.

There will be another wedding in the Governor's family next spring, when his son, Richard J. Dunne, marries Miss Frances Fitzgerald of Chicago, one of the belles of that city.

TANNER-DOUBLEDAY.

New York, Oct. 19.—One of the leading fall weddings is that of Miss Rhoda van Bibber Tanner, daughter of Mrs. John J. Tanner, of Fifth Avenue, to Felix D. Doubleday, which takes place today in the Church of the Ascension. Miss Tanner comes from an old Kentucky family, and has spent much time in Europe, where she was educated. Young Mr. Doubleday is the son of Frank N. Doubleday, the book publisher, partner of Ambassador Page.

Auction Sale.

Shipment 21 packages filing cabinets shipped by The Shaw Walker Co., of Muskegon, Mich., covered by St. L. I. M. S., E. St. Louis to Mexico City, Way bill M. P. 30,638, of Feb. 2, 1913, consigned to Max Otto, Mexico City, will be auctioned at Laredo Transfer station 30 days from this date or on October 18th, 1915, to the highest bidder for cash.

J. C. SEYMOUR,
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MOONSHINERS WILL BE SENTENCED SOON

SEVEN ILLEGAL WHISKEY MAKERS IN ARKANSAS PLEADED GUILTY TO THE CHARGES.

By Associated Press.

Fort Smith, Ark., Oct. 20.—Seven men on trial charged with conspiracy to defraud the government in the manufacture of whiskey pleaded guilty today. They will be sentenced tomorrow. The case against Fred Bowles, the eighth defendant, was nolle prossed. About twenty other defendants on the same charge will be tried next January.

AGED VETERAN DEAD.

By Associated Press.

San Angelo, Texas, Oct. 20.—S. W. (Sy) Merchant, aged 75 years, a veteran of the Mexican and Civil wars, died here today.

LOAN BROKERS LAW.

By Associated Press.

Austin, Texas, Oct. 20.—The court of criminal appeals today affirmed the constitutionality of the loan brokers' law requiring brokers to give a $5,000 bond. The decision was on a test case from San Antonio.

NURSES HEAR ABOUT RED CROSS WORK.

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 20.—The Missouri State Nurses' Association opened its annual convention here today, bringing 500 nurses together. Miss Fannie F. Clement of Washington will speak on public health and Red Cross work, and Miss Mary C. Wheeler of Chicago will also speak.

MOHONK CONFERENCE ON INDIANS.

Mohonk Lake, N. Y., Oct. 20.—The 33rd Lake Mohonk conference on the Indian and other dependent peoples, which opened today with Rev. Samuel A. Eliot in the chair, promises to be of peculiar interest because of the participation of many experts in Indian, Philippine and Porto Rican affairs.

Under Indian affairs, the principal topics will be the present day needs of Indian administration, concerning which wide divergences of opinion have have arisen within the last few years, and conditions among the five civilized tribes. Sec. Franklin K. Lane of the Interior Department, Consioner of Indian affairs, U. S. Senators Moses E. Clapp of Minnesota and Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma; commissioners George Vaux, Jr., Warren K. Moorehead and Frank Knox of the U. S. board of Indian commissioners; Grant Foreman of Muskogee, P. J. Hurley, national attorney for the Choctaw nation, and Miss Kate Barnard of Oklahoma, are among those who will probably speak.

Among those booked to speak of Porto Rican problems are Governor Arthur Yeager, former Treasurer A. H. Richardson, Manuel V. Domenech, commissioner of the Interior, and Dr. D. W. May, susperintendent of the Porto Rican experiment station.

Philippine Day will also have an interesting list of speakers on the present problems in those islands, with regard to trade, moral and educational uplift, idustrial development and language. Among the speakers who have promised to attend are Congressman W. A. Jones of Virginia, Frank L. Crone, director of Philippine education, Leo T. Gibbens, former assistant attorney of the More province, Col. W. C. Rivers, U. S. A., formerly chief of the Philippine constabulary, Frederick W. Taylor, recently director of agriculture in the Philippines, Prof. C. Everett Conant, former translator and interpreter at Manila, and Capt. E. W. Ames of the Philippine constabulary.

POSTMASTERS MEET AT WASHINGTON.

Washington, Oct. 20—The annual convention of the National Association of First and Second Class Postmasters opened here today. The postal chiefs from many of the large cities are attending. During the next three days there will be a general discusssion of postal savings, the parcels post, auto delivery, and other big questions of the day connected with the postal service in the larger cities and towns.

CONGREGATIONALISTS MEET.

New Haven, Cann., Oct. 20—The big event of the year in Congregational church circles is the National Council meeting, which opened here today. The Council will be in session for a full week. Some 2,500 delegates are in attendance, representing 763,000 members of the church.

National missionary organizations, laymen conferences, the commissiou on missions, women's national auxiliaries and other bodies are holding simultaneous meetings here, and the two years' history of the church since the meeting in Kansas City will be covered by a large array of national leaders and speakers.

DEDICATE CHAPEL TO BISHOP.

New York, Oct. 20.—A chapel in memory of the late Bishop Henry Codman Potter will be dedicated today, on the 32nd anniversary of the bishop's consecration as bishop of New York. The chapel is completed as part of the Cathedral of St. John the Divine. It is erected by the stepsons of the late bishop, at a cost of $250,000. It is one of seven that now surround the sanctuary of the Cathedral. It is a church in itself, seating 300, with organ, choir stalls and every appointment of a parish church. In the chapel is a cenotaph which will also be dedicated today. The remains of the Bishop will rest in this cenotaph.

Every Home Needs A Faithful Cough and Cold Remedy.

When seasons change and colds appear—when you first detect a cold after sitting next to one who has sneezed, then it is that a tried and tested remedy should be faithfully used. "I never wrote a testimonial before, but, I know positively that for myself and family, Dr. King's New Discovery is the best cough remedy we ever used and we have tried them all." 50c. and $1.00.

(Adv.)

From Thursday's Daily.

RETALIATION.

Reports from the lower country state that ten Mexican "paid with their lives for alleged complicity" in the wrecking of a train and the deliberate killing of three Americans and the wounding of four others. The report does not say in so many words how the Mexicans were killed, but the inference is plain that they were killed by the posses who captured them.

While such killings are not authorized by the law of any civilized country unless the prisoners were trying to escape, there is a feeling that the Mexicans received no more than their just deserts, as the killing of Americans on American soil by the invading bandits has reached such a point that the people are enraged beyond all endurance.

Naturally, it is denied by the Mexican authorities that the bandits came from the other side of the river, and an attempt is made to show that they are Texans in residence at least.

Luis de la Rosa and his companion, Pizaña, are Mexicans both in birth and descent. They have never become American citizens, and their residence on this side of the boundary has been short. In fact, they only remained long enough in Texas—at San Antonio and other places—to foment the "revolution" against the Americans, and they have been seen in Matamoros since the raids began.

The murder of the passengers is said to have been marked by the utmost atrocity, and Dr. E. S. McCain, state health officer at Brownsville, was followed into the toilet, where he had taken refuge, and deliberately murdered.

The district attorney, John I. Kleiber, who was on the train and who advised the pasengers to lie down to escape the bullets, says the bandits shouted: "Mexicanos no; no mas los gringos." This is evidence of the deliberate intention of killing Americans.

This is the first successful attack on a train by the Mexican bandits although several attempts have been previously made, several trains having been fired upon from the brush, but hitherto no one has been hurt.

Fifteen hundred infantrymen and most of the civilians in the Brownsville section were soon after the bandits, and it may be that some of those killed were connected in some way with the bandits.

At any rate, those who cannot give a good account of themselves within the next few days would do well to remain in hiding, as this latest atrocity has aroused the people as have none of the former outrages.

The astounding part of the affair is that the hold-up ocurred only seven miles from Brownsville, and almost in plain sight of the city, where a large garrison of American soldiers is ready to start in pursuit of bandits at a moment's notice.

The hold-up indicates the boldness of the outlaws, as well as the probability that they are aided and abetted by some of the residents on our side of the river, in addition to being well protected as soon as they cross the boundary line.

In fact, during the whole border trouble no effort has been made by either of the Matamoros commanders to apprehend the bandits who cross into Mexico, and only one small band was attacked by a subordinate who probably was soundly rated for interfering with the Mexians.

The continued disorders in the Brownsville district do not point to a control of the country, to say the least of it. The plausible promises to do all in their power to aid the Americans in putting a stop to the raids is all that has come from the Mexican authorities, and a continuance of the disorders is apt to cause an invasion of Mexican territory in pursuit of the outlaws, in which case a rupture of friendly relations might ensue.

It might be well to round up all suspicious Mexicans in that vicinity and send them back where they belong.

HELPING THE CRIPPLES.

It is reported that up to the present there have been two million permanently crippled in the European war, and the various nations will have that many burdens to support in the future.

Germany is already busy with plans for helping her share of these men to to become at least partly self-supporting, and no pains will be spared to this desirable end.

The close of the Civil War saw many men lacking one or more limbs, and shortly after the close of the war a one-armed mail carrier was a common sight, this being practically the only work that was then known in which a man who had lost an arm could make a living.

We have greatly advanced since then, and now not only the armless wonder in the circus is capable of doing things which many with both arms are incapable of performing, but many of those in the daily walks of life have discovered ways of doing useful work without becoming a burden upon their relatives or the public.

The American inventors have so improved the artificial limbs that they are almost as effective as the natural members, and European sufferers from amputations have eagerly sought the American mechanical limbs to take the place of those they have lost.

A recent picture showed a German soldier who had lost both legs and part of both arms, learning to mount a ladder so as to continue his former occupation, which was that of a roofer! It would appear that some more appropriate occupation might have been found for this war victim.

With the modern development of machinery, which requires only an attendant to perform even delicate mechanical operations, many of these crippled men should find enough work to earn a living without burdening the state or the charitable institutions. And most of those who were brave enough to go where they received the terrible wounds would be more willing to take employment than to receive charity.

In a recent copy of the Linotype Bulletin is a picture of a young man of New Orleans, who does effective work at a linotype, despite the loss of one arm. And the linotype is not the only machine that can be handled with one arm, provided the operator is intelligent and resourceful.

Naturally the governments in whose service these men were crippled will pay a more or less adequate pension. But the highest pension ever paid will not compensate these men for the loss of a limb which prevents them from doing a full man's work. And a man who can be taught to be self-supporting is a much greater asset to the state than one who is content to live on the pittance which a grateful country pays him for his mutilation.

Those who were members of the learned professions—lawyers, teachers, and the like—will find less difficulty in readjusting themselves to the changed conditions than those who were engaged in mechanical trades.

A watchmaker who has lost a leg will not be materially affected by his crippled condition, but if he has lost an arm he will have to select some other means of livelihood.

Many of the injured are blind; and theirs is the most horrible affliction of all. Not only are they bereft of all that makes life pleasant, but there are so few occupations for a blind man, especially for one who has reached manhood before losing his sight.

Truly, the present war has cost the people much, and not the least of the cost is the great number of men who must go through life maimed, to live perhaps for many years to come.

Carranza says he will retain the present title of "first chief" until peace is established, which he expects will be in about a year? While he acknowledges that the law prohibits him from being a candidate for president, he says he may accept the presidency. Constitutional Carranza!

The Germans announce a new campaign against the Montenegrins. If they keep on, there won't be a little nation on the face of the earth safe from German attack. How about declaring war against the Prince of Monaco and his army of eighteen men?

An embargo on arms and ammunition was signed by President Wilson, but this is not to apply to the Carrancistas. But what do the latter want of arms now that they are recognized?

PLAN PRETTY LITTLE PARK.

Ladies of the Heights Will Make Loma Vista a Mecca of Pleasure That Will be Pride of Laredo.

That the ladies having in charge the work undertaken by the Heights Civic Club of providing the residents of the eastern portion of Laredo with a pretty little park that will be the pride of that section, are untiring in their work and are deserving of every encouragement that can be given them. They have taken it in their charge to make Loma Vista a real mecca where people can go and sit and enjoy themselves after the contemplated improvements are made.

Mesdames E. R. Tarver and M. P. Cullinan, the two live wire workers of the Heights Civic Club, are the real workers for the little park on the Heights and are indefatigable and untiring in anything they undertake for the good of the Heights. They are now securing financial aid in various ways to carry out the improvement work the club has planned, such as fencing Loma Vista Park, later laying it off into walks, planting ornamental trees, etc. Let everyone who has any civic pride in Laredo help the ladies of the Heights in their laudable work.

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THIS IS MY 61th BIRTHDAY

WILLIAM C. HODGKINS.

William C. Hodgkins, famous government boundary and coast surveyor, now directing the coast survey of the Philippine Islands, is 61 years old today. He has settled many disputes between states as to boundary lines, and has mapped coasts in Alaska and Porto Rico. He was born at Boston on Oct. 21, 1854, and won his engineering degree at Harvard. At 17 he entered the U. S. coast survey service, and he has given over forty years to the interesting work of placing boundaries and mapping the zigzag coast lines in the far North and the far South. In 1892, Mr. Hodgkins relocated the circular boundary between Pennsylvania and Delaware, originally surveyed by William Penn. He took part in the survey of the boundary between Alaska and Canada, relocated part of the boundary between Iowa and Missouri, and was chairman of the commission to relocate the boundary between Virginia and Tennessee. He also resurveyed the Mason & Dixon line between Pennsylvania and Maryland. He commanded coast survey vessels in Alaska and Porto Rican waters. In 1914 he was given charge of the government coast survey of the Philippine Islands.

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THIS DATE IN HISTORY

OCTOBER 21.

1097—Opening of the siege of Antioch by the Crusaders, who took by storm in the following year this ancient city where the disciples were first called "Christians."

1774—Provincial congress of Massachusetts resolved to enlist men for the defence of the province; these were the "minute men," the first armed defender of the country.

1783—Congress insulted at Philadelphia by a mob, adjourned to Princeton; this circumstance led to the question of a permanent seat of government.

1797—Famous frigate "Constitution" launched at Boston.

1805—Battle of Trafalgar; Nelson victorious, but was killed on his frigate, The Victory.

1821—Born—Jenny Lind, the famous singer. She died in 1887.

1898—Gen. Wood issues proclamation in Cuba granting personal rights to the citizens.

1900—Zeppelin's first aerial warship was successfully tried out.

1913—Col. Roosevelt publicly welcomed at Rio Janeiro on his trip to South America.

1914—THE WAR:
Allies maintain their lines in face of terrific fire in Belgium. French report progress on the right bank of the Meuse. Germany declares France is breaking the laws of war. German attack on Warsaw is a failure; Russians drive them back.

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HUSBAND RESCUED DESPAIRING WIFE

After Four Years of Discouraging Conditions, Mrs. Bullock Gave Up in Despair. Husband Came to Rescue.

Catron, Ky.—In an interesting letter from this place, Mrs. Bettie Bullock writes as follows: "I suffered for four years, with womanly troubles, and during his time, I could only sit up for a little while, and could not walk anywhere at all. At times, I would have severe pains in my left side.

The doctor was called in, and his treatment relieved me for a while, but I was soon confined to my bed again. After that, nothing seemed to do me any good. I had gotten so weak I could not stand, and I gave up in despair.

At last, my husband got me a bottle of Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I commenced taking it. From the very first dose, I could tell it was helping me. I can now walk two miles without its tiring me, and am doing all my work."

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WEALTHY CLUBMAN FACES BIGAMY CHARGE.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 21.—Charles E. George, of New Orleans, a wealthy clubman known in society circles in the East, South and West, will be arraigned in court today to answer to the charge of bigamy. Mr. George is a prominent attorney and publisher in New Orleans, and he came voluntarily to face the charge filed against him in this city.

The charge of bigamy was brought by Walter W. Stillings, brother-in-law of Mrs. May E. Ritter-George, who will be the star witness, it is expected. Stillings alleges that when George married Selma Klein in this city, he was still the lawful husband of Mrs. Ritter-George. The bride of the clubman is a sister-in-law of Alderman Oscar Altpeter of this city. Stillings claims they were married here Nov. 6, 1912, by County Judge Karel, after a romance in a hotel. Selma Klein was a public stenographer in the Plankington Hotel when she met the clubman.

George is alleged to have married Mrs. Ritter-George in 1898, and is said to have a child 15 years old. This marriage, according to the district attorney, took place shortly after George divorced his first wife. This wife, who has started the trouble here, has been conducting a rug business in New York. She is said to be a daughter of Rear Admiral Walker of the United States navy and a niece of "Fighting Bob" Evans.

A fourth woman figures in the alleged love affairs of George. She is Ida L. Austrian-George, who was the widow of the late Bennett Austrian, former business partner of Brodie Duke, the millionaire cigarette manufacturer. According to the district attorney, George married the widow in Canada, in 1908, and they went to New Orleans and later to San Francisco. After their arrival at the Golden Gate, Mrs. Ida Austrian-George started suit for separate maintenance. She lost her case when it was learned she did not legally marry George, it is alleged. George, however, escaped the charge of bigamy at that time.

"I have been married only once," was the statement of George when he first learned of the charges brought against him here. "I never heard of some of these women before" he is quoted as saying. "One of them, whose name is Ritter, is trying to blackmail me" he added to the reporter.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Texas Mexican.

Leaves for Corpus Christi at 8:20 a. m.

Arrives from Corpus Christi at 3:55 p. m. Standard time.

International & Great Northern.

Through fast train for St. Louis leaves at 1 and arrives at 1:50 p. m.

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Leaves at 8 p. m. and arrives at 7:15 a. m.

Rio Grande & Eagle Pass.

Train No. 1 leaves Laredo daily except Sunday at 8 a. m. Arrives at Minera at 10:30 a. m.

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"Chamberlain's Tablets have done more for me than I ever dared hope for," writes Mrs. Esther Mae Baker, Spencerport, N. Y. "I used several bottles of these tablets a few months ago. They not only cured me of bilious attacks, sick headaches and that tired out feeling, but toned up my whole system." For sale by all dealers.

(Adv.)

ADVOCATES MIGRATION OF PORTO RICANS.

Washington, Oct. 21—A wholesale migration of Porto Ricans as a means of relieving industrial depression on the island has been suggested to President Wilson by Governor Arthur Yager of Porto Rico. This is believed to be the first instance in the history of the country when an official of the government has advocated emigration from the United States or one of its dependencies to a foreign land. It is pointed out by Governor Yager that despite the prosperity on the island, there is an over-population. There are 320 inhabitants to the square mile, and this is considered a burden too heavy for the island to support. In the opinion of Governor Yager, at least 250,000 residents should be asked to migrate, Cuba and Santo Domingo being specially mentioned as desirable places for the emigrants.

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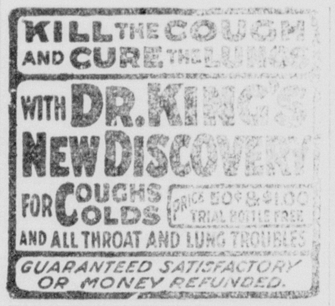
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(Adv.)

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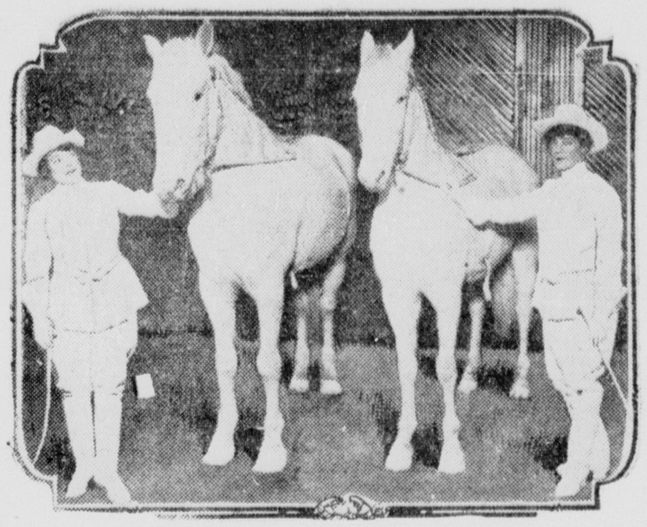
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Laredo, Texas, Oct. 21, 1915.

For the information of the public we hand you copy of certified analysis of water furnished City of Laredo.

You will notice the Bacteriological Data shows we are furnishing to our patrons water of exceptional purity and potability. In fact, a comparison with most water furnished by the cities of the United States will not compare favorably with ours. For instance, Philadelphia, in Municipal Journal of July 22nd, 1915, Page 112, states that they have practically eliminated B. Coli. Communis from their water in 1914. Their analysis for this year shows B. Coli. Communis in 1 cubic centimeter .5%.

COMPARISON:

	B. Coli. Communis.	
Philadelphia	1 in 1 c. c. c. in 10 c. c. c. .5 perc. " 8.0	
Laredo	1 in 1 c. c. c. absent	in 10 c. c. c. absent

It is also worthy of notice that this is the best analysis of Philadelphia water in a period of five years, from 1910 to 1914. And this last and best analysis was made possible by the use of Liquid Chlorine Process, which we use.

This Chlorine Process for sterilization of water is the latest and best known to science and is used to purify all drinking water at the Panama Exposition at San Francisco.

Mr. John C. Sparks, B. Sc., F. C. S., a man of national reputation and Professor of Chemestry in Johns Hopkin's University, makes our analysis.

In accord with the policy of this company and to protect the health of its patrons and furnish the best water possible to its consumers, we send each month for analysis a sample of water (two gallons) taken each time from a hydrant in different parts of the city (this last from hydrant of Consumers' Ice & Fuel Co. so that all may use this water knowing it to be as pure as possible to obtain and perfectly wholesome.

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LAREDO WATER COMPANY.
By W. H. IRVINE,
Manager.

(Adv.)

The May Apple Liver Tonic.

May Apple is an old time liver medicine. Its active principle (Podophyllin) is sometimes called Vegetable Calomel. In Po-Do-Lax May Apple is combined with other well known liver remedies, making Po-Do-Lax the ideal liver medicine. It rouses the liver, increases bile, does not gripe, has no nausea and one dose is fine generally. Get a 50c. bottle, take a dose tonight and notice how much better you feel—you cannot afford to get along without Po-Do-Lax, the Liver Tonic with Vegetable Calomel." 50c.

(Adv.)

ILLINOIS HANGING.

Murphysboro, Ill., Oct. 21.—Elliston Hunt, a negro, will be hanged tomorrow morning, for killing Clara Barton. Extraordinary precautions have been taken to prevent Scott's taking his own life. When he was arraigned, he made a break for liber-

EXPERTS DISCUSS PROBLEMS OF LABOR.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 22.—Leading experts in industrial management from many parts of the country met here today to honor the memory of Frederick W. Taylor, who was known throughout the civilized world as the father of scientific management. At the same time the gathering will discuss the problems of scientific management from all angles, and there are many points in dispute. The convention will continue tomorrow, and is under the auspices of the National Society to Promote the Science of Management.

A memorial service to Dr. Taylor was held in Houston Hall, at the University of Pennsylvania, this morning as the opening meeting of the efficiency experts. Mayor Blankenburg read appreciations of Taylor's great work, recived from abroad. Other speakers are Dr. Harlow S. Person, dean of the Tuck School at Dartmouth, Provost Smith of the University of Pennsylvania, Louis D. Brandeis of Boston and Henry L. Gantt of New York.

One of the most interesting subjects to be discussed is a paper which will be read by Richard A. Feiss of Cleveland, outlining the results achieved in the Feiss clothing shops. The Feiss methods of caring for the comfort and well-being of a thousand employees are considered as unique by the experts. After Mr. Feiss presents the facts, labor union leaders, social workers, manufacturers and efficiency engineers will be given a chance to present their various views of the methods and results.

Though paying higher wages, Feiss has achieved a success in operating a modern clothing shop. He has given steady employment and introduced the educational director, the social worker, the nurse, savings banks, unemployed insurance and other new ideas.

Toned Up Whole System.

"Chamberlain's Tablets have done more for me than I ever dared hope for," writes Mrs. Esther Mae Baker, Spencerport, N. Y. "I used several bottles of these tablets a few months ago. They not only cured me of bilious attacks, sick headaches and that tired out feeling, but toned up my whole system." For sale by all dealers.

(Adv.)

WEATHER FORECAST.

The following forecast from the United States weather bureau at New Orleans is furnished The Times by the Telephone Co. each day:

Tonight and Saturday fair.

Local Weather Report.

The following are the observations taken at Fort McIntosh for the 24 hours ending at 5 p. m. yesterday:

Max. temp. 88 degs.
Min. temp. 53 degs.
General direction of wind: Northwest.
Clear.

Health and Happiness Depend Upon Your Liver.

That sluggish liver with its sluggish flow of bile is what makes the world look so dark at times. Dr. King's New Life Pills go straight to the roof of the difficulty by waking up the action of the liver and increasing the bile. Dr. King's New Life Pills cause the bowels to act more freely and drive away those "moody days." 25c. a bottle.

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SOCIAL CALENDAR.

Friday.

Special meeting of the Woman's Club is being held this afternoon at the Hamilton Hotel.

The B. Y. P. U. Jr. is holding the regular weekly meeting this afternoon at four o'clock at the rectory.

"Miscellaneous Shower" at the Latin-American Club, honoring Miss Garcia, from five until nine o'clock in the evening.

Ninth Infantry band concert at Fort McIntosh at half after seven in the evening.

Dance at Elks Hall in the evening.

Saturday.

The Busy Bees will meet with Miss Rosalie Biggio at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Mrs. H. W. Johnston will entertain the Wednesday Auction Bridge Club at half after three o'clock in the afternoon.

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Haunted.

Keep your hair out of my dreams, little girl!
Keep your face out of my fancies!
Why, I can see how each tremulous curl
Dances!
How do you think I can work—though I try?
All of my dreams—your eyes haunt them!
I'd banish your curls from my thoughts,
but—I—I
Want them!
—Mary Carolyn Davies.

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General Mention.

The many friends of Mr. G. R. Weber will be glad to hear that he is convalescent from his recent illness.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Whitted and little son, Billie, left today for their ranch near Webb where they will remain during the winter.

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Mrs. Crane, after a delightful visit in San Antonio, returned to Laredo this morning.

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Miss Neva Vandeveere, after a delightful two weeks' trip, returned to Laredo on Saturday and left the same day for Minera on a short visit to Mr. and Mrs. Cornelius Vandeveere.

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Mrs. Borroum writes that her father is improving daily and she expects to return to Laredo next week.

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Invitations are out for the Volpe-Martinez wedding which will take place on Monday morning at half after eight o'clock at St. Peter's Church. The bride-to-be is a charming young lady who has until recently lived in Saltillo, and Mr. Volpe is a member of the firm of Longoria and Volpe.

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Mr. French, who recently came to Laredo for medical attention, is reported on the road to recovery.

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Rev. D. D. Boyle is expected in Laredo next week and will divide his time hereafter between Laredo and Pearsall.

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Club Notes.

The Baptist Ladies Aid Society held an interesting meeting yesterday afternaan at the Creath Memorial Baptist Church. This was just a study session, and the subject of the lesson was "Foreign Mission Survey." Those present were: Mesdames J. G. Burr, W. C. Burr, Salisbury, D. Z. Windrow, Abshear, McMicken, C. H. Bell, T. C. Mann, W. B. Heaner, Fletcher Smith, J. Hansen, J. E. Trout, H. B. Woods. The delegates elected to attend the Fifth Sunday meeting to be held in Carrizo Springs were: Mesdames J. G. Burr, B. F. Walker, Fred Thomas, and H. B. Woods.

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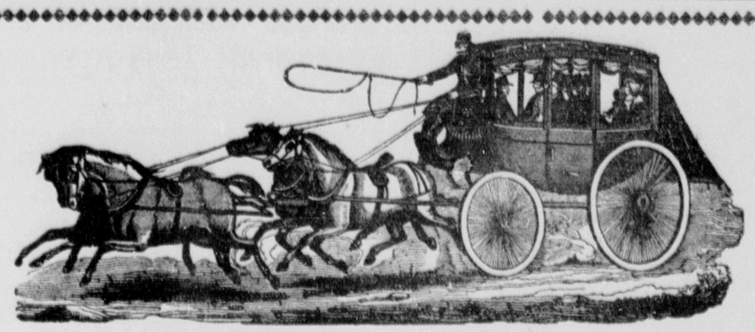
Entertainment.

Mrs. Alphonse Wormser was given a pleasant surprise party and kitchen shower yesterday afternoon by the members of the Thursday Sewing Circle. The lawn with rugs and chairs made a very inviting spot for the guests. Mrs. Wormser, who is now with Mrs. Ferdinand Wormser, will move into her lovely new home on Victoria Street some time during the coming week. Dainty refreshments were served to the following guests: Mesdames Mackin, A. C. Richter, Charles Richter, Charles Moser, Jos. R. Moser, L. Daiches, Schmitt, L. Goodman, F. Werner, A. Offer, J. O. Buenz, Samuel Meyer of Rochester, N. Y.; William Hospel of New Orleans, La.; Yesner of Sulphur Springs, A. Saft, Borchers, Wharton, Hamlin, L. Joseph, Haenel of San Antonio, Kate Dear, Ferdinand Wormser, Misses Annie and Francis Alexander.

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Presentamiento.

The nuptial party of Volpe and Martinez made their "presentamiento" last evening before the civil authorities in New Laredo and afterwards were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Theriot. Delicious refreshments were served.



This is one of the ways in which the people in the surrounding country rush to

SHORTY'S

to get those delicious Oysters and Lunches he serves

Fumigated the Warehouse.

A Mexican firm doing business in Laredo attempted to bring in a carload of wool in sacks without the fumigation demanded by the federal and state authorities, with the result that the warehouse in which the wool was stored after its delivery was ordered fumigated by Dr. H. C. Hall, state quarantine officer. It does not pay to "buck" the sanitary regulations, especially as they are designed to protect the people of Texas and the United States from the introduction of infectious diseases.

Came After Car and Prisoners.

Deputy Sheriff G. M. Millard of Bexar county, arrived here this morning from San Antonio, accompanied by the owner of the automobile which was stolen there several days ago by two young men arrested at the mines on Wednesday afternoon. Deputy Sheriff Millard and the car owner left for the mines this forenoon to get the car and will return here this afternoon and the officer will take the prisoners back to San Antonio tonight.

Came Back on Crowded Train.

A. B. Zooman, of the Laredo Electric & Tel. Supply Co., returned home this morning from a several days business trip to Monterey and Saltillo. Mr. Zooman came all the way from Saltillo to Nuevo Laredo in a coach that was crowded to its utmost capacity and many passengers were compelled to stand the entire distance of over 200 miles.

KIVIAT AND SMITH ON THE CARPET.

New York, Oct. 22—The investigation into the amateur status of Abel Kiviat of the Irish-American Athletic Club, and Harry Smith of the Bronx Church House, will be resumed tomorrow by the registration committee of the Amateur Athletic Union. Charges affecting their standing as amateurs are being sifted.

PERSONALS

F. Belden of Monterey is a guest at the Hamilton.

E. J. Howerton of St. Louis is stopping at the Hamilton.

A. E. Graham of Torreon is in the city and is stopping at the Hamilton.

BENDER:—H. C. Dinkins, Houston; C. Hanson, J. J. Hucker, San Antonio; G. B. Glauberg, George F. Gordman, Cuero; F. W. Welch, Leon, Mexico; F. A. Reed, San Antonio; N. Gumport, New York; J. Donnell, Austin; I. A. Eichelberger, Louisville, Ky.; E. Garrida, Saltillo; P. Peña Valdez, Fort Worth; F. Peltier, Nogales, Ariz.; A. B. Carlisle, San Antonio; Y. B. Hop, El Paso; E. Conway and family, C. V. Ujvaey, Monterey; A. R. Bushwell, Tampico.

ROSS:—A. Harman, Bates; W. S. Tobey, Houston; R. A. Werth, San Antonio; C. Safir, Saltillo; B. H. Zuber, St. Louis; M. Alexander, San Antonio; Elisea del Valle, Jesus Gutierrez, Monterey; Ricardo Calbete, Sra. J. G. de Palau, Lic. M. Palau, Jr., San Luis Potosi; Jesus G. Cerda, Monterey; S. Gusberg, Baltimore, O.; R. de la Huerta, Mexico City; Louis Suarez, Monterey; W. H. Flune, Aug. Genny, San Antonio; Y. Bonillas and family, Nogales, Ariz.; E. Cueva and family, Monterey; G. Estrada, Tampico.

HAMILTON:—J. Pratt, Saltillo; J. T. Hernandez, Los Angeles; M. Alanis, Torreon; S. Romero, San Antonio; A. E. Graham, Torreon; Edgar Bird, Cincinnati, O.; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Davenport, J. M. Carr, Mr. and Mrs. F. Guzman, C. Padilla, F. Belden, J. E. Rodriguez, J. Cavazos, Monterey; W. W. Nail, New Orleans, La.; M. L. Clements, Wentz; E. Nicholas, San Antonio; Max A. Wild, New York; A. L. Jones, E. J. Howerton, M. F. Bover, San Antonio.

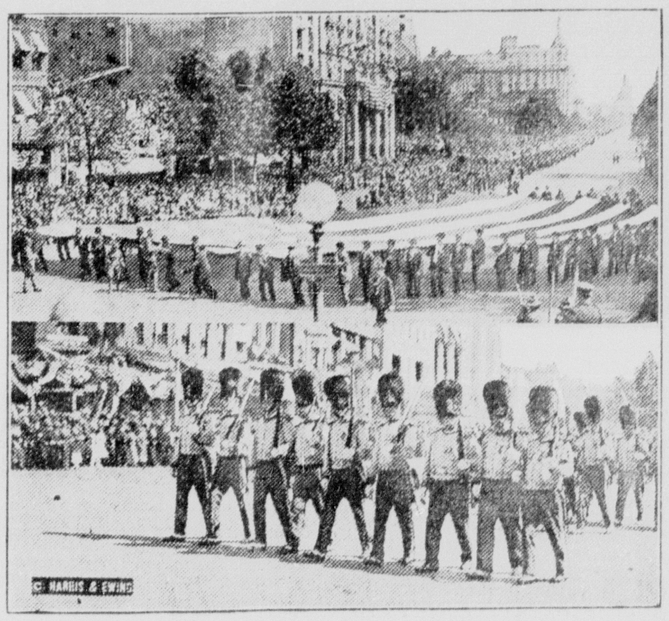
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For Neat and Accurate Job Work ring up 43.

PARADE OF THE GRAND ARMY



The parade of the G. A. R. at this year's encampment in Washington was especially notable because it followed the route on Pennsylvania avenue taken fifty years ago by the grand review of the armies at the close of the Civil war. The illustration shows, above, William McKinley post of Canton, O., carrying the largest flag in the country, nearly 150 feet long; below, the Second New York regiment, which was in full-dress uniforms and bearskin shakos.

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For Sale:—One large roll top desk. Apply this office. 9-15-tf.

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For Rent:—Light house-keeping rooms. 1304 Houston street. 10-16-6t.

For Rent:—Eight room house, furnished, has all modern conveniences. Apply 1302 Victoria street. 10-20-6t.

Lost:—Casing, tube and rim, chain tread U. S. Return Citizens Garage for reward. 10-21-3t.

Lost:—A grip from an auto on the San Antonio road close to Laredo. Has tag on it with following: H. R. Dobbs, Amherst, South Dakota. A reward of fifteen dollars will be paid for its return to Police Station, Laredo, Texas. 10-21-3t.

For Rent:—Seven room house; modern. 1511 Farragut street. F. Werner. 10-22-2t.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

Texas Mexican.

Leaves for Corpus Christi at 8:20 a. m.

Arrives from Corpus Christi at 3:55 p. m. Standard time.

International & Great Northern.

Through fast train for St. Louis leaves at 1 and arrives at 1:50 p. m.

I. & G. N. Night Train.

Leaves at 8 p. m. and arrives at 7:15 a. m.

Rio Grande & Eagle Pass.

Train No. 1 leaves Laredo daily except Sunday at 8 a. m. Arrives at Minera at 10:30 a. m.

Train No. 2 leaves Minera daily except Sunday at 1:15 p. m. Arrives at Laredo at 3:30 p. m.

COMMERCE CHAMBER IS 76 YEARS OLD.

Cincinnati, O., Oct. 22.—The Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce is 76 years old today. To observe the anniversary, a big banquet will be held tonight, at which the members will entertain the Secretaries of State who are in convention here.

SPORT NOTES.

The World Champion Red Sox have the unique distinction of never losing a World Champion series. Their toughest fight was against Pittsburg, in 1903, when they took four straight after losing three.

The stage is set at Boston for the World's Championship at 14.1 balkline, with Willie Hoppe defending the billiard title against Koji Yamada, the Jap expert. Play begins tonight, and the odds favor Hoppe.

There are 44 entries for the Autumn Stakes at Latonia, which will be run off on Saturday. This is the semi-final stake event in the Blue Grass region, the final being the Latonia Cup, to be run the last day of the meet, a week from today.

The first of two big hunt meets at Chestnut Hill, Pa., takes place this afternoon, at the White Marsh Valley Hunt Club. Several classy events are scheduled, and the hunters will remain over until Saturday for their second meet.

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It Always Does the Work.

"I like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy better than any other," writes R. E. Roberts, Homer City, Pa. "I have taken it off and on for years and it has never failed to give the desired results." For sale by all dealers.

(Adv.)

From Saturday's Daily.

A BARBAROUS ACT.

During the progress of the present European war the Germans have been busily engaged in denying the tales of atrocities perpetrated by German soldiers against civilians, particularly women and children, in Belgium. As their testimony mainly consisted of statements of various officers and soldiers that they had not seen any atrocities, and hence was merely negative, there has been a doubt as to the truth of both sides of the story.

Now, however, there can be little doubt that the tales of the barbarities committed by the Germans had some foundation. At one stroke the German authorities in Belgium have justified outsiders in believing that they are actuated by the vilest motives of revenge and that they are not to be restrained from committing acts of savagery by any appeal to their better natures.

An English nurse who has been in Belgium for some years, and who has devoted the best years of her life to alleviating suffering, regardless of the nationality of the sufferer, has been summarily executed by the German military authorities because she aided English, French and Belgian soldiers who had been in the hospital under her care to escape to a place of safety.

The diabolical act of killing a woman proves that she was justified in aiding the soldiers to escape, for if the German authorities could thus violate all sentiments of humanity regarding a woman whose life was spent in caring for the sick and wounded, what might they not have done to the unfortunate prisoners in their hands who had previously been in arms against the German forces?

Worse than all is the callous disregard of their own promises, which should be sacred to anyone claiming the title of gentleman, to keep the American embassy informed as to the progress of the "trial" which was farcically conducted with a determination of finding the nurse guilty and of revenging themselves upon her by a military execution.

Far from keeping their word to our ambassador, Brand Whitlock, they pushed the trial through and executed the woman without any further notification that the trial was ended, and in direct contradiction to the ordinary conduct of such an investigation.

During the Franco-Prussian war the Prussians on many occasions killed young girls for the sole offense of being French and for aiding the soldiers of their country in resisting the armed invasion of a foe. But at the present time it had been hoped that modern civilization had so changed the German character that women, especially those in the exercise of such avocations as that of nurse, would be immune from the barbarities of a former period.

The case naturally has aroused much indignation, and while English nurses have heretofore been as tender of German wounded as they were of their own, they may in future refuse to treat the German wounded prisoners at all.

Mere humanity has in the past actuated woman of all nationalities in caring for the sick and wounded, regardless of nationality or political affiliation. Not only the gentle Sisters of Mercy, but those who had no other motive than the natural womanly one of alleviating suffering, have given their lives in the care of the wounded, some falling victims to the bullets on the battlefield, while others have died from the dread diseases for which there was no certain remedy.

During the recent epidemic of typhus in Serbia the English and American nurses gladly gave their services, and many of them died for the sake of making the inevitable end a little easier for the stricken soldiers.

Miss Cavell, the latest victim of German barbarity, had nursed many German wounded. Her one offense was that her tender heart could not bear to see a prisoner languishing far from home, and—she has paid the penalty of antagonism to German militarism. May she rest in peace.

BOOSTING AMERICA.

The department of the interior is making a campaign to induce the foreign-born residents to learn the English language and thus better fit themselves for citizenship. A poster has been lithographed, representing Uncle Sam grasping the hand of an immigrant workman, while in the background is seen a modern residence, a schoolhouse and an naturalization judge handling "citizen's papers" to an immigrant.

The poster bears urgent invitations to attend night school; learn English and become citizens. The invitations are given in English, Italian, Polish, Yiddish, Lithuanian, Bohemian and Hungarian.

The department reports that there are 3,000,000 foreign-born whites, 10 years of age and over, who are unable to read or even speak English. More than one-half of these immigrants are unable to read or write in any language.

It is for the purpose of making good citizens out of these varied elements that philanthropic people, aside from the city school boards, have instituted night schools where the grown men can begin to learn English and gain some idea of the meaning of American citizenship.

As a rule, these immigrants take kindly to instruction. Many of them are eager to learn, having had no opportunity in past years to go to a school of any kind, and their progress is usually rapid.

This is particularly true of the North European, and the Russian and Polish Jews, the Poles, Lithuanians and Bohemians have shown an aptitude for learning that is not even surpassed by that of our own native-born citizens.

The percentage of illiteracy in the Eastern cities is not greater than in some of our Southern states. The reason is that the foreigners, as soon as they reach a steady location, send their children to get the education that was denied them in the old country. The fathers also attend the night schools at the close of a hard day's work, and within a short time it is the rule for most of the family to be able to read and write, at least sufficiently to pass the requirements of the naturalization laws.

The eagerness of the immigrants for education is one of the most encouraging features in our great cities. Intellectually starved, the foreign-born men and women seek for something besides their daily wage, and it is no uncommon sight to see all the members of a family studying together in some social settlement, perhaps the only absent one being the mother who has to care for the home and the younger children.

There is urgent need for a night school for these same immigrants in Laredo. There are thousands of Mexicans who come here each year without the slightest knowledge of the English language, and who are also unable to read and write Spanish. In their ignorance they are easy victims to the sharpers, many of them of their own race, who seek to rob them of a part of their hard-earned wages.

Many of these Mexicans would gladly attend a school where they could secure a working knowledge of the English language. Most of them have no desire to gain a knowledge of reading and writing, but they would learn to do both while studying English.

They would be more valuable workmen had they a knowledge of English, and if they could read and write they would no longer be at the mercy of those who wish to exploit them. It would be a benefit to the employers of labor if the working men could speak enough English to conduct their work without the use of an interpreter.

The children learn readily where they are in contact with English-speaking people, although English is one of the most difficult languages in the world for a Latin. And the parents would appreciate an opportunity to study, especially those who had no such opportunity when they were young.

Great Britain wants to trade the island of Cyprus to Greece for the latter's aid of the entente alliance. Greece indignantly refuses, not because she does not want such a trade, but because the price is not high enough. Why not offer her Constantinople?

The latest Mexican outrage was 'way up near San Marcos. But the reception the Mexicans met with is apt to discourage further attempts in that locality. Brownsville would be willing to offer inducements to that man and his wife when they get well enough to travel.

THE ARRIVAL OF V. CARRANZA.

Not Known Now Whether Big Chief Will Reach Nuevo Laredo Tomorrow or Monday on Inspection.

According to information given out from Nuevo Laredo this afternoon it is not known when First Chief Carranza will reach that place—whether it will be Sunday or Monday, or even later. The last heard from Carranza was that he was down near Torreon and was arranging things there for the holding of an election of some kind. From there he will come to Nuevo Laredo on a special train.

Nuevo Laredo has prepared a program of festivities in honor of the big chief and will give him a royal welcome when he does arrive there. Anyhow, Laredo people will know when Carranza's train arrives in sight of Nuevo Laredo, for it will sound like bedlum has broken loose and the din caused by the enthusiastic hulabaloo will resound for a long time.

For Neat and Accurate Job Work ring up 43.

MEETING OF THE RIFLE CLUB WELL ATTENDED LAST NIGHT

MEMBERS OF LAREDO CLUB GOT TOGETHER LAST NIGHT.

Preparing to Get Things in Shape Whereby They Be Provided With Essentials to Begin Practice.

The Laredo Rifle Club held an important meeting in the Firemen's Hall last evening. The artistic charter of the local club received several days ago, marking its affiliation with the National Rifle Ass'n. of America, was displayed to the members present and there seemed to be much enthusiasm prevalent as to the future plans and work of the Laredo Rifle Club.

The object of the National Rifle Association is to offer inducements tending to encourage markmanship and to teach those who do not know how to shoot how to handle a rifle and hit the mark. In consequence of this encouragement, rifle clubs are being formed in all parts of the country and have the endorsement of the United States war department. Alaska, the Panama Canal zone, Shanghai, China, Honolulu and San Juan, Porto Rico, all have their national rifle association clubs.

The reputation of the American soldier or sailor for proficiency in marksmanship is becoming such that it is proving difficult to arrange international matches. The members of the Laredo Rifle Club will be minutely and thoroughly instructed in the use of the rifles with which they are to be equipped, and this instruction will be conducted under the supervision of regular army officers, and like the soldiers, they will have regular target practice at intervals to be decided on by the local club. All the guns and ammunition used will be similar to that used by the government troops. The rifles are to be furnished members of the club at a price of $5 each with 125 rounds of ammunition, while additional ammunition can be procured from time to time at a nominal price from the National Rifle Association and affiliated plants.

Notice to Hunters.

The hunting season is now at hand and you will need a hunting car. We have a number of good second hand cars that we will sell at a bargain. All of these cars have been thoroughly overhauled and newly painted. In our list you will find Buicks, Overlands, Fords, etc. Prices ranging from $125 to $400.

LAREDO AUTO SALES Co.
10-21-tf.

(Adv.)

Band Concert Program.

The following program will be rendered by the Banda Social at Martin Plaza tomorrow (Sunday) evening:

March, "Tannhauser," Wagner
Idyll, "La Mas Hermosa,"
..... F. de N. Buitron
"El Encanto de Un Vals,".... Strauss
Selection, "Aida," Verdi
"The Dollar Princess," Strauss
"The Wizard of the Nile,".... Herbert
Remick's Hits Lampe
"The Merry Widow," Lehar
Wedding March. Mendelssohn.

Why Not Publish It?

When you want a fact to become generally known, the right way is to publish it. Mrs. Joseph Kallans, Peru, Ind., was troubled with belching, sour stomach and frequent headaches. She writes, "I feel it my duty to tell others what Chamberlain's Tablets have done for me. They have helped my digestion and regulated my bowels. Since using them I have been entirely well." For sale by all dealers.

(Adv.)

High School Notes.

Yesterday the senior class held a regular meeting in their class room. After the chairman of the committee on colors and flowers reported, a vote was taken on both colors and flowers. American Beauty rose was chosen for the class flower and the class color is American beauty red. Prices have been requested on several pins and these will come within a week. After school there was a heated basket ball game between the senior boys and the junior boys, with Rev. L. M. Wharton as referee and Reuben Cotulla as time keeper. The game resulted in a victory for the Seniors with a score of 6 to 5.

SENIOR CLASS REPORTER.

PILES CURED AT HOME BY NEW ABSORPTION METHOD.

If you suffer from bleeding, itching, blind or protruding Piles, send me your address, and I will tell you how to cure yourself at home by the new absorption treatment; and will also send some of this home treatment free for trial, with references from your own locality if requested. Immediate relief and permanent cure assured. Send no money, but tell others of this offer. Write today to Mrs. M. Summers, Box P, Notre Dame, Ind.

(Adv.)

FOREIGNERS ARE RUSHING BACK TO MEXICO IN DROVES

SAY THINGS LOOK GOOD TO THEM SINCE RECOGNITION.

Many Americans Among Those Returning to Republic, These People Going Back to Old Positions.

Every incoming train from the north and also east to Laredo is bringing many people who are on their way to Mexico. In most instances these are people who months ago, and in some cases, three or four years since, abandoned Mexico on account of the revolutionary conditions and sought refuge in the United States. Now they believe that peace is at last in sight in Mexico and they are venturing back there and will hazard the chances of remaining.

Among those people bound for Mexico who are passing through Laredo each day now are numerous families who left the Mexican republic only after they had been warned to do so by President Wilson, and in most instances are Americans. There are a few English and German families also passing through here, but these are few in comparison to the Americans, many of whom have interests down there that demand their attention after long and necessary neglect brought about by chaotic conditions which compelled them to leave Mexico.

Many of the Americans who are daily returning to Mexico are of the belief that with the moral support of the United States the Carranza government will be enabled to control conditions in Mexico and bring about absolute peace and order, and that this will warrant them resuming their vocations there or taking lucrative positions with some of the great industrial plants that will now begin operations again after a suspension of many months. These things furnish the incentive for the influx of refugees back to Mexico.

Notice.

Having sold my interest in the firm of Earnest & Bunn Co. to Messrs. H. G. Earnest and Frank A. Lattig, I wish in retiring from the business to thank the general public and my friends in particular for courtesies, favors and patronage given me and assure them that it was appreciated and that any time I can serve them I will be glad to do so.

W. Y. BUNN.
10-22-2t.

(Adv.)

Health and Happiness Depend Upon Your Liver.

That sluggish liver with its sluggish flow of bile is what makes the world look so dark at times. Dr. King's New Life Pills go straight to the roof of the difficulty by waking up the action of the liver and increasing the bile. Dr. King's New Life Pills cause the bowels to act more freely and drive away those "moody days." 25c. a bottle.

(Adv.)

Will Return This Afternoon.

Messrs. F. O. Westrup and Len Ivert, who arrived here several days ago in their car from El Paso, are expected to return this afternoon from a trip to Rio Grande City. From San Antonio to Laredo they were accompanied by Mrs. B. B. Wright and Mrs. M. Bennett, sisters of Mr. Westrup, and the ladies remained here as the guests of their sister, Mrs. Kate Ussery. Both Messrs. Westrup and Ivert are former officials of the National Lines of Mexico.

WISHED SHE COULD DIE

And Be Free From Her Troubles, but Fi.. Better Way.

Columbia, Tenn.—"Many a time," says Mrs. Jessie Sharp, of this place, "I wished I would die and be relieved of my suffering, from womanly troubles. Could not get up, without pulling at something to help me, and stayed in bed most of the time. I could not do my housework.

The least amount of work tired me out. My head would swim, and I would tremble for an hour or more. Finally, I took Cardui, the woman's tonic, and I am not bothered with pains any more, and I don't have to go to bed. In fact, I am sound and well of all my troubles."

Cardui goes to all the weak spots and helps to make them strong. It acts with nature—not against her. It is for the old, nervous, irritable women, who feel as if everything were wrong, and need something to quiet their nerves and strengthen the worn-out system.

If you are a woman, suffering from any of the numerous symptoms of womanly trouble, take Cardui. It will help you. At all druggists.

Write to: Chattanooga Medicine Co., Ladies' Advisory Dept., Chattanooga, Tenn., for *Special Instructions* on your case and 64-page book, "Home Treatment for Women," in plain wrapper. H.C. 128

(Adv.)

AN UP-TO-DATE WATER PLANT.

Laredo Water Co. Has One of the Most Modern and Efficient Water Supply Plants in the State.

With the recent improvements made at the plant of the Laredo Water Co. and the installation of some of the latest and best machinery possible to perform certain functions of the work there, Laredo can now boast of having one of the best appointed water works plants in the state of Texas, and one which is equipped with machinery that is prepared to meet any emergency that might arise at any time, for if one machine goes bad there are auxiliaries to take its place, this condition existing in all the various units of the Laredo Water Co. plant by practically a double set of pumping machinery.

The water company plant here has a total pumping capacity of six million gallons of water daily from the Rio Grande river. There are three filtering basins on the island in the river, and it is here that the water from the river is first assembled. From these basins there are mains to the settling tanks near the plant. The water is pumped by the raw pumps through an 18-inch bed of coke into the main settling tank. From this tank the water, which has been clarified to a great extent, is conveyed to the mechanical filter, where the water is then again filtered through four mechanical filters which are each 14 feet in diameter and six feet in depth, and each containing six feet of sand, this process of filtering, refining and clearing the water to a stage where it is thoroughly clarified. These filters, during normal consumption of water, are cleared daily by reversing the flow of water through them and the cleaning work being augmented by the agitation of the machinery which forces all sediment out of the tanks.

After passing through the mechanical filters the water flows by gravity to the clear water well, located in the pit in the engine room, and where the water is finally sterilized by the application of chlorine room, and where the water is finally sterilized by the plication of chlorine gas under pressure. It is from this well that the water enters the mains in its clarified state.

It is of interest to note some of the latest improved machinery found in the various compartments of the plant each and every unit having an important function to perform and being a necessary adjunct of the present improved pumping plant. First as you enter the plant from the north door you find a big 85-horse power Bessemer gas engine connected to a Deane triplex pump with a capacity of 2,250,000 gallons of water every 24 hours.

Then one sees a Worthington Duplex Compound pump having a capacity of 1,750,000 gallons of water per day. This unit is used only when the capacity exceeds two millions gallons per day. It is a reserve pump and can be used either as a raw or clear water pump in emergencies. It is what is properly a convertible pump. Another Worthington Duplex Compound pump has a capacity of 2,333,000 gallons daily.

The average daily output of the plant is about two and one-half million gallons. The two Worthington eight-inch Volute pumps, driven by a 40-horse power Bessemer gas engine, pump the raw water from the river direct into the primary settling tanks. There are two auxiliary supply mains, which in the event of obstruction or damage to the 16-inch supply main, water can be obtained through the 10 and 12-inch mains. By these pumps the water plant is equipped with units in triplicate instead of duplicate as is common with many water plants, giving the Laredo plant an efficiency for supply that few cities have.

Notice to the Public.

Having bought the interest of W. Y. Bunn in the business of Earnest & Bunn Co., we shall continue the business under the name of Earnest-Lattig Co. We thank our friends for their past patronage and solicit their continued support, assuring them of our appreciation and of our determination to serve them faithfully.

H. G. EARNEST,
F. A. LATTIG.
10-22-6t.

(Adv.)

Deafness Cannot Be Cured

by local applications, as they cannot reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by constitutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian Tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hearing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition, hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mucous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness (caused by catarrh) that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for circulars, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by Druggists, 75c.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

(Adv.)

For Neat and Accurate Job Work ring up 43.

LITTLE LOCALS

—The distinction of having made the first paid-in-advance admission to the new Royal Opera House goes to J. Alex MacDonald, who this morning handed Mr. Valdez an American "plunk" with the information that paid for the first admission ticket to the grand opening performance.

—Have your children's hair cut at the Eastern Hair Shop. 1210 Lincoln street. Phone 889. (adv)

—The following marriage license was issued by the county clerk yesterday afternoon afternoon: Lauro C. Guerra and Miss Consuelo Guerra.

—Special for Sunday:—Peach-nut ice cream. Consumers Ice & Fuel Co.
(Adv.)

—We are offering all of our second hand cars at sacrifice prices. They must all be sold by November first. Come in and make us an offer. Prices $125 to $400. Laredo Auto Sales Co.
10-21-tf.

(Adv.)

—The following importations from Mexico passed through this port today: One carload of pecans and four carloads of calamine.

—LADIES:—For the latest style in dainty neckwear call at the Eastern Hair Shop. 1210 Lincoln street.
10-21-2t.

(Adv.)

—The scaffolding in front of the Royal Opera House was removed this morning, which denotes that the work on the front of that handsome structure has been practically completed. On the interior the ceiling and wall work is also about completed and much of the interior scaffolding is being removed as fast as the painters and plasterers complete their labors.

—Special for Sunday:—Peach-nut ice cream. Consumers Ice & Fuel Co.
(Adv.)

—Teacher of English, Spanish and Gregg Shorthand, evening lessons only. Apply Will W. Gregg, Times office.
10-11-tf.

(Adv.)

—The military review at Fort McIntosh this morning, participated in by troops of both Fort McIntosh and the Ninth Infantry Camp, with General Evans as the reviewing officer, was witnessed by a number of Laredo people who motored out there before 8 o'clock and was on hand in ample time to see the spectacle.

—We must make room for our $25,000 stock of new cars by November first. That's why we are offering our entire line of second hand cars at almost any old price. Laredo Auto Sales Co.
10-21-tf.

(Adv.)

—The Laredo Rifle Club is now getting everything in readiness to place an order for rifles for members who are willing to pay the nominal sum asked, and as soon as these are secured the work of lining the members up for practice with the rifles under instruction of military experts will be started.

—Eastern Hair Dressing Shop, 1210 Lincoln street. Phone 889 for appointment.
9-23-tf.

(Adv.)

—St. Paul Hotel, new management. Rooms with or without private bath. Rates on application. Mrs. J. W. Earnest. Phone 782.
10-2-1m

(Adv.)

—In a game of baseball between the Town Boys and the Cullinan Skeeters this morning the Town boys bagged the victory. Maher and Cullinan were on the firing line for the "Skeeters" and Simpson for the town boys, the score being 13 to 2. Simpson was in the prime of his life, being found for only three safe hits, while the Town boys found the Skeeter pitchers for eight hits.

—For self starter work see Yeary at the Citizens Garage.
6-25-tf.
Adv.)

—Will W. Gregg, Notary Public, at Times office.
6-5-tf (Adv.)

—The Rex has oh fine feature pictures for tonight and tomorrow night. The feature for tonight is Alice Brady in the drama, "The Lure of Woman," and tomorrow night's feature will be Hobart Henley in the photoplay, "The Deficit." These are only the features—there will be other pictures.

—Do you desire comfort? Use electric lights and fans.
4-24-tf. (Adv.)

—Moving, moving. Laredo Transfer. Phone 864.
8-4-tf.

(Adv.)

—The Strand has on for tonight "The Rugmaker's Daughter," with Maude Allan in the star role. There will also be a Charlie Chaplin agony on at the Strand tonight.

—If it is neat and accurate job printing that you want send your orders to The Times job department. Expert workmanship and the best of materials.
1-9-tf

(Adv.)

—Laredo Transfer. Phone 864.
8-4-tf

(Adv.)

GOOD CROWD AT CONCERT.

Though Atmosphere Had Slight Chill, Music Lovers Braved Weather to Listen to the Melodies.

Notwithstanding the fact that there was a slight chill to the atmosphere last night and wraps were used by the ladies instead of decollete waists as they sat in autos and listened to the music, there was a good attendance at the concert given by the Ninth Infantry Band in front of the officers quarters at Fort McIntosh.

The beautiful moonlight played a conspicuous part in the pleasures of the evening, for with sweet music permeating the atmosphere and the subtle rays of Fair Luna adding enchantment to the scene, there was a blending of the sublime that made a picture likened unto a scene from elfland.

JEWS CLAIM PLACE IN WORLD AS NEW NATION.

Washington, Oct. 23.—To the big Jewish conference which will be held here tomorrow has been brought the seeds of a world-wide movement toward establishing a Jewish nation, with an identity among the world powers. At tomorrow's meeting the most important work in behalf of the Jews in modern history will be formulated. Committees will be empowered to visit the government of every nation and make known the fact that the Jews of all lands have organized toward a perpetual government, representing fourteen millions of Hebrews of the world.

Unless the breach between the several factions of Jewish leaders is healed or bridged over, there is danger of a rupture at tomorrow's conference. At a recent meeting of leaders in New York, two factions developed, one proposing an open Congress, the other a secret assembly of leaders. But all were of the opinion that at the appointed time the Jews of America should, through concerted action, place before the proper authorities, national and international, their basic demands that the Jews be accorded equal civil, political and religious liberty in countries where they are now oppressed.

For many years the Jews of America have been aiding in the colonization of their oppressed brothers from other countries in Palestine. The Zionists have mapped out a definite plan, which aims at the establishment of a Jewish nation in Paelstine as the main victory toward equal rights in every country for the Hebrews. The International Jewish Congress was originated by Louis B. Brandeis, who urges that all the people of the race be represented in the movement. He believes that the democratic Congress is the only road to Jewish unity., and he has opposed the action of other Jewish leaders to confine the programme and discussion to delegates from the various organized Jewish societies.

At the recent New York meeting two of the leading American Jews, Louis Marshall, president of the American Jewish Committee, and Samuel Dorf, grand master of the Order B'Rith Abraham, declared that had no confidence in the ability of the mass of Jews in the United States to take care of their own affairs. In fact, most of the constituted Jewish leaders were for handling the international affair themselves.

The Brandeis wing of the Jewish people has been supporting the colonization work in Palestine. For years colonies of Jews from countries of persecution have been located in the Holy Land by the International committee, but since the war the American committee has had to take the main burden. There are about 90,000 Jews in Palestine, and wonders have been worked by these colonists. They have re-discovered the lost sought for plant, wild wheat, the parent of the most precious of grains. The agricultural experiment station is the directing center of irrigation work which is making fertile the ancient fields of the Holy Land. There are 40 Jewish cities there, practically self-governing. There is a school of fine arts and in the cities there are banks and all the conveniences of modern trade.

Just how far the Washington conference will go into the matter of pressing the Jewish nationality question at this time is a matter of speculation. At tomorrow's conference the main issue is the relief of Jews in the war-ridden nations, who are facing a terrible winter. All American Jews are united in their efforts for this relief and harmony will reign so far as helping their brethren in Europe is concerned. American Jews have contributed handsomely to the aid of European Jews during the War, and are expected to go much further. Big subscriptions are expected, and a plan will be formulated under which the most effective relief work can be carried on.